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Births.

COHEN.—January 12, at her residence, 37 Windsor-street, Paddington, the wife of Edward Cohen, of a daughter.

EDWARDS.—January 14, at Surbiton Villa, Waverley, the wife of Dr. Edwards, of a daughter.

KEAREY.—December 28, 1890, at her residence, Boronia, Military-road, North Sydney, Mrs. James Kearey, of a daughter.

MANN.—January 11, at her residence, Ravensbourne, Neutral Bay, the wife of Livingston F. Mann, of a daughter.

ROLLS.—January 8, at her residence, Spruson-street, Neutral Bay, the wife of F. J. Rolls, of a daughter.

SLATTER.—January 7, at her residence, Manchester House, Milson's Point, North Shore, the wife of H. W. Slatter, of a daughter.

THOMAS.—January 10, at Manly, the wife of David Thomas, F.R.C.S., of a son.

TURTON.—January 13, Mrs. J. Turton, Middle-street, Lower Randwick, of a girl.

Marriages.

BUCKLE—GRANT.—January 8, at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. R. S. Paterson, Frank, third son of F. Buckle, Esq., of Pyrmont, to Dora, fifth daughter of the late William Grant, Esq., engineer and boilermaker, Point-street, Pyrmont, city.

BURTON—BENNIE.—On the 9th December, at the residence of the bride's parents, Fintona, Upper Hawthorne, Victoria, by the Rev. A. Marshall (of Scots Church, Melbourne), William Henry, eldest son of Mr. Edwin Burton, Sydney, to Frances Crawford, eldest daughter of William Bennie, Esq., of Melbourne.

DAVIS—DAVIS.—January 7, 1891, at the Great Synagogue, by the Rev. A. B. Davis, Elias, second son of Isaac Davis, to Fanela, eldest daughter of Coleman Davis, of 147 Forbes-street.

IRVINE—HERBORN.—December 30, at the residence of the bride's parents, Liverpool, by the Rev. Dr. Barry, Robert Francis Irvine, M.A., to Florence Julia, youngest daughter of E. W. L. Herborn.

JOHNSON—YOUNG.—November 29, at All Saints' Church, Woollahra, by the Rev. Wallace Mort, M.A., Herbert Edward, third son of Alfred Johnson, of Birmingham, England, to Maude Fanny, youngest daughter of the late Charles Young, comedian, Sydney.

RAMAGE—SCHNEIDER.—December 15, 1890, at All Souls', Leichhardt, by the Rev. Thomas Holme, George, third son of the late Andrew Ramage, to Ellie, second daughter of Adolphus Schneider, late of Waverley.

Deaths.

CAMPBELL.—At Taimia, Cudal, Angus M. Campbell, a native of Taimia, Milness, Sutherlandshire, aged 47.

FORWOOD.—December 4, 1890, at Braidwood, Daisy Maud Louise, youngest daughter of George F. and Ida Forwood.

GIBBONS.—Emily Elizabeth, beloved wife of John Watts Gibbons, of Briar Bank, Prospect-street, Waverley, in her 72nd year.

GIFFORD.—December 9, 1890, at his residence, 31 Morehead-street, Redfern, Charles Gifford, the beloved husband of Susan Gifford, of Foxton, Cambridgeshire, England, aged 54 years. Home papers please copy.

GRAHAM.—July 30, 1890, in Dublin, Ireland, aged 82, Robert Graham (late of the firm of Graham and Parker, Liverpool, England). Will H. C. C. Graham write home.

HARRIS.—January 15, 1891, at his residence, Rockwood, James Harris, in his 45th year.

HUTCHINSON.—January 16, 1891, at his parents' residence, 20 Bennett-street, Camperdown, William, the ninth youngest son of Stephen and Elizabeth Hutchinson, aged 7 years and 9 months.

LAWSON.—January 15, 1891, at his father's residence, Tarlee, Tintern-road, Ashfield, Andrew, second eldest son of C. W. Lawson, aged 19 years and 9 months.

MAGUIRE.—December 19, 1890, at the Armidale Hospital, Louisa Maguire, after a severe illness, aged 39, eldest daughter of Mrs. S. Cox, Burwood.

MAGUIRE.—January 13, 1891, at her parents' residence, Wolstenholme, Bathurst, of typhoid fever, Mabel Lillian, fourth beloved daughter of W. H. and M. Maguire, aged 19 years and 10 months.

MITCHELL.—December 19, 1890, suddenly, at Tattersall's Hotel, Glen Innes, John Mitchell, of Armidale (late of Dunmore, Maitland).

MORIESEY.—January 14, 1891, at his mother's residence, St. Leonards, Otho Bathurst Palmer, second son of the late Colonel Moriesey, 46th Regiment.

RUCKER.—January 15, 1891 (Thursday), at her residence, Surbiton Villa, Denison-street, Woollahra, Elizabeth, relict of the late John Henry Rucker, of this city, and third daughter of the late Mr. Joshua Holt, of George-street, Sydney, in her 72nd year. She died suddenly, peacefully, and without pain.

THROSBY.—January 14, at her residence, Throsby Cottage, Moss Vale, Elizabeth, relict of the late Charles Throsby, Esq., of Throsby Park, aged 83 years.

TRAVERSI.—January 15, at her parents' residence, 86 Bedford-street, Wilhelmina Ada, infant daughter of Achille and Wilhelmina Traversi, aged 10 months.

In Memoriam.

ANNABEL.—In sad but loving memory of our dear son, Arthur Edward Annabel, who died at his parents' residence, Mary-street, St. Peter's, January 17, 1889, aged 19 years and 7 months.

BERGHOFER.—In loving memory of our dear son, George Alphonse Berghofer, who died at Dulwich Hill, January 17, 1888, aged 10½. "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." H. and M. Berghofer.

SHANNON.—In sad and loving remembrance of my dear husband, Thomas Shannon, aged 35 years, county Cavan, who departed this life January 17, 1889, at his late residence, 24 Little Riley-street, S. H. Inserted by his loving wife, Ellen Shannon.

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Carthage	5013	H. de Horne	Jan. 26	Jan. 31	Feb. 4
Victoria	6091	G. F. Cates	Feb. 9	Feb. 14	Feb. 18
Valetta	4919	R. F. Briscoe	Feb. 23	Feb. 28	Mar. 4
Arcadia	6603	W. B. Andrews	Mar. 9	Mar. 14	Mar. 18
Ballaarat	4752	E. Ashdown	Mar. 23	Mar. 28	April 1
Oceana	6603	P. S. Tomlin	April 6	April 11	April 15

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Steamer.	Tons	Commander.	
CUZCO	3918	J. F. Anderson	Jan. 19
*LUSITANIA	3876	H. R. Inskip	Feb. 2
OROYA	6184	E. E. Lovington	Feb. 16
ORIZABA	6184	G. F. Dixon	Mar. 2
ORIENT	5365	H. G. Derby	March 16
OMRUS	6116	W. E. White	March 30

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[illegible]	3600	January
[illegible]	4000	To follow
[illegible]	3600	To follow
[illegible]	3600	To follow

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Mariposa	3000	H. M. Hayward	Feb. 18	March 14

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POLYNESIEN	P. Pellegrin	February 27	March 2
YARRA	L. Boulard	March 25	March 28
AUSTRALIEN	G. Didier	April 27	April 30
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Steamer.	Commander.	Leave Sydney, Noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide Semaphore
		1891.	1891.	1891.
Hohenzollern	A. von Gillen	Jan. 28	Feb. 3	Feb. 6
Hohenstaufen	W. Schmölder	Feb. 25	Mar. 1	Mar. 4
Kaiser Wilhelm II.	L. Störmer	Mar. 21	Mar. 28	April 1
Habsburg	G. Thumann	April 22	April 25	April 27
Salier		May 20	May 23	May 25

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Culgoa	3300	F. Tompsett	Jan. 29
Murrumbidgee	2746	A. R. Pilkington, R.N.R.	Follows
Bulbuck	3742	J. R. Brodie	Follows
Bungaree	3300	F. H. Ekins, R.N.R.	Follows
Wiccannia	3300	H. G. Thomas, R.N.R.	Follows
Yeoman	3194	H. Goodrham	Follows
Echuca	2436	J. Pankhurst	Follows

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Kaikoura	4474	4000	Jan. 22, 1891
Tongariro	4163	4000	Feb. 19
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Rimutaka	4473	4000	April 16
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JUMNA	A. Sanders		Feb. 12
DORUNDA	J. Gray		Mar. 27

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MANNING RIVER, S.S. ROSEDALE, MONDAY, at 5 p.m.
PORT MACQUARIE, S.S. WELLINGTON, MONDAY NEXT, at 7 p.m.
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Nemesis (Huddart, Parker's), early
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Barwah (Howard Smith's), Tuesday next, 4 p.m.
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Ranelagh (A. U. S. N. Co's), Friday, 5 p.m.
Leura (Howard Smith's), Saturday, 24th, noon
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Birksgate (A. U. S. N. Co.'s), This Day, Saturday, noon
Leura (Howard Smith's), Saturday, 24th, noon
BYRON BAY and TWEED RIVER—
Tweed (G. W. Nicoll's), To-morrow, Sunday, 6 p.m.
BYRON BAY, via RICHMOND RIVER—
Coraki (C. R. and M. R. Co.'s), early
GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER—
Kallatina (C. R. and M. R. Co.'s), This Night, at 8
Burrawong (J. See and Co.'s), Tuesday Night, at 8
Australian (J. See and Co.'s), Thursday Night, at 9
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Elingamite (Huddart, Parker's), Tuesday, 27th, 5 p.m.
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Taiune (Tasmanian Co.'s), January 23rd, at noon
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Corinna (Tasmanian Co.'s), January 19th, 4 p.m.
LAUNCESTON (transhipping to Coogee at Melbourne)—
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Burrumbeet (Huddart, Parker's), Saturday, 24th, noon
MACLEAY RIVER—
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MELBOURNE—
Victorian (Adelaide Co.'s), This Day, 1 p.m.
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Gambier (Howard Smith's), Tuesday next, 4 p.m.
Barcoo (A. U. S. N. Co.'s), Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Elingamite (Huddart, Parker's), Tuesday, 20th, 5 p.m.
Maranoa (A. U. S. N. Co.'s), Friday, 5 p.m.
Burrumbeet (Huddart, Parker's), Saturday, 24th, noon
Adelaide (Adelaide Co.'s), Saturday, 24th, 1 p.m.
NEW ZEALAND—
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Hauroto, via Wellington (Union Co.'s), January 27th
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NIL.—TERRETT wishes to see you at once at Sydney Arcade. Avoid further advertisements.

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THOS. C. BRYANT, late Land Users' Association,—Call on Mr. Jas. M. Toohey, Standard Brewery.

TO A. F. and A. Ma.—Young Man would like to Meet with Canadian Members of the Fraternity.
Zerodentha 220, Herald.

WILL Miss MAY EMERY send address to Mrs. Mandelson, Potts Point.

WILL person who called at 35 Bellevue-st., yesterday, please call upon Oatley and Cahill?

WILL Mrs. TROTT kindly send her Address to S. R. Herbert, Post-office, Park-street.

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WANTED, anyone knowing the whereabouts of (née) ANNIE ROBESON DICKINSON, of Balmain, Sydney, N. S. W., and believed to have married there about August, 1884, please communicate with H. C., Post Office, Rockhampton, Q.

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LOST, Lady's Gold Keyless WATCH and Chain. Handsome reward. A. Saunders, jeweller, op. railway.

LOST, Purse, between 4 and 5, Bondi Junction tram, containing over 30s. Rewd. J. Densley, Ocean-st., Bondi.

LOST, Thursday evening, Geo.-street, near G.P.O., Letters. Rewd., open or unopened. Earle, 45 Pitt-st., N.

LOST, Lady's Gold WATCH and Chain, on evening of Thursday, 8th instant, near the Reserve, North Shore. Reward. Mrs. LIGGINS, Ridge-street, Reserve, North Shore.

LOST, on S.S. Narrabeen, 12.30 trip, on Monday, Sydney to Manly, a CHAFF BAG containing Ledger, 3 X stores, and 1 Butcher's Steel. Kindly return to
P. J. & S. Office.

LOST (supposed to have been from Mrs. M'Cathie's, 8 King-street), Black BAG, containing Purse and £5 10s and P.O. Saving Bank Book. Liberal reward given. Apply at 7 Upper William-street, Darlinghurst.

LOST, between Cleveland-street, Redfern, and Elizabeth Bay, lady's Gold BRACELET, set with diamonds. Finder rewarded on returning same. Mrs. C. E. BOY, 9, c/o Mr. G. Anderson, Pitt and Cleveland sts., Redfn.

LOST, in George-street, between Hunter-street and G.P.O., small PACKAGE, addressed and stamped to Havilah. Reward.
H. FINCKH, 300 George-street.

LOST.—The hard earnings of years were lost by a poor struggling family, and if the finder could only know the twentieth part of privations endured to save the amount, and what will now have to be endured unless found by some good person, it would be returned without delay. The sum was in bank notes, and lost either King or Castlereagh streets, the 14th instant.
HALF THE AMOUNT WILL BE GIVEN to the just and honest person upon return.
A full and detailed description given of the notes.
Kindly address—
Mr. B. MAAS, No. 41 King-street, Sydney.

ONE Pound Reward.—Lost, bay Mare, off shoulder, no shoes. Villand, newsagent, King-street, Newtown.

REWARD 10s.—LOST, at Sydney Driving Park Races, Betting BAG. Royal Standard Hotel, E'hurst-st.

STOLEN or STRAYED, from Beaconsfield, Harrow-road, on the 16th, a Black-and-tan Collie DOG, answers to the name of "Rip." Anyone found detaining same will be prosecuted, and if returned will be well rewarded.
Beaconsfield, Harrow-road, Stanmore.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.—To Detectives and Others.—The above reward will be paid for private information that will convict the thief who stole my Newfoundland DOG in May of 1890. Certain information has been obtained implicating the party whom I strongly suspected of stealing him, but corroborative evidence is required before criminal proceedings can be commenced. Address by letter to M. Raleigh, Shannonville, Harris-street, Balmain.

FOUND, Enmore, Silver WATCH and Chain. Apply C. Hundt, No. 1 Margaret-street, New town.

IMPOUNDED, in Glebe Pound, Red and White CALF, about 12 months old.

Calls and Dividends on Shares.

NEW BROKEN HILL EXTENDED SILVER-MINING COMPANY, No Liability. Broken Hill, N. S. W.
NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (the 14th) of Threepence per share has been made due and payable at the Company's Office, Lombard-buildings, 17 Queen-street, Melbourne, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of January, 1891.
When remitting, shareholders will please set out the number of the issue and the consecutive numbers of the shares held.
By order of the Board.
JOHN DITCHBURN, Jun., Manager.
N.B.—Country Shareholders are requested to add Exchange to their cheques.

CENTRAL BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have this day made the Third, Fourth, and Fifth CALLS of 1s per share each upon the Contributing Shares of the Company, payable to me at the Company's Office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, as follows:—
No. 3 Call of 1s per Share, payable on or before Saturday, January 17th, 1891
No. 4 Call of 1s per Share, payable on or before Monday, February 16th, 1891
No. 5 Call of 1s per Share, payable on or before Tuesday, March 17th, 1891.
The Directors have resolved to call up the balance on the Contributing shares of the Company, so as to place all the shares upon an equal footing.
There are now only 16,665 Contributing Shares in the Company, the balance having been voluntarily paid up to £1 per Share by the Shareholders, and the Board think it advisable that the whole of the Shares of the Company should be fully paid up.
The Shareholders are reminded that the whole of the above Calls can be paid at once, if deemed advisable.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
P.S.—Calls may be paid at the Company's Offices, Sydney, Melbourne, or Adelaide.
Sydney, October 24, 1890.

LADIES' GENUINE HAND-MADE UNDER-CLOTHING.
BRIDAL TROUSSEAUX,
INFANTS' LAYETTES and HYGIENIC UNDERWEAR.
We send catalogues containing prices, price lists, and full dress options post free to all parts of the colony.
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OLD GERMAN EMBROIDERED and DRAWN-THREAD LINENS,
Hem-stitched, Fringed, Colour Woven.
D'OYLEY'S NAPKINS, TRAY CLOTHS.
FOUR O'CLOCK SQUARES.
SUPPER CLOTHS.
SIDEBOARD RUNNERS.
TABLE CENTRES.
HAND TOWELS, APRONS, &c.
D'OYLEY'S
7in. x 7in., 3s 6d; 9in. x 9in., 5s 6d per dozen.
12in. x 12in., 6s 11d, 8s; 13in. x 13in., 8s 9d, 14s 6d, 17s 6d per dozen.
14in. x 14in., 7s 6d, 8s 6d, 10s 6d, 12s 6d, 13s 9d per dozen.
TRAY CLOTHS.
18in. x 16in., 9s 6d per dozen.
FOUR O'CLOCK SQUARES.
31½in. x 31½in., 3s 11d, 4s; 34in. x 34in., 3s 3d, 3s 11d each.
42in. x 42in, 5s 6d, 7s 6d.
SUPPER CLOTHS.
55in. x 55in., 12s 6d; 57in. x 57in, 19s 6d each.
56in. x 56in., 12s 6d each.
TABLE CLOTHS
50in. x 50in., 15s 9d, 18s 9d, 21s each
63in. x 63in., 10s 9d, 12s, 13s, 15s 9d, 18s 6d each
63in. x 99in., 21s 6d, 28s 6d, 31s 6d each
TABLE CENTRES
18in. x 40in., 3s 9d; 18in. x 54in., 2s 11d; 15in. x 50in., 2s 11d each
SIDE-BOARD RUNNERS
15in. x 66in., 3s 9d; 16in. x 71in., 2s 11d each
HAND TOWELS
20½in. x 40in., 3s 9d, 5s 3d to 6s 3d each
APRONS
24in. x 37½in., 4s 9d; 24in. x 40in., 3s 3d, 4s 9d each.
These CHOICE GOODS are now MARKED OFF, and a VISIT of INSPECTION is RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.
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ELVY and COMPANY,
PIANOFORTE GALLERY, 329 GEORGE-ST.,
are now offering for SALE, a most SUPERB STOCK of IRON-FRAMED PIANOS, at all prices, from Thirty Pounds.
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RENOWNED German and French Pianos, £14, £16, £18, good as new. Russell's, 29 Botany-street.

PIANOS. PIANOS. PIANOS.
SELECT YOURS from the WAREHOUSE of CHARLES HUENERBEIN, 318 George-street.
MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY.

AMERICAN PIANO, Steinway system, only £26, stool, &c., a gift. Russell's, 29 Botany-st., off Ox.-st.

BRUCE and M'ASSEY, PIANOFORTES, MUSIC, SMITH ORGANS. 107, PITT-STREET.

MAGNIFICENT new Pianos, ex Olga, at wholesale factory prices. Russell's, 29 Botany-street.

HAPSBURG PIANOS.—Sole importers, Nicholson and Company, 482 and 484 George-street.

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LIPP'S PIANOS for SALE by De Lissa and Phillips, 5, Barrack-street.

PIANO BUYERS will find second-hand Pianos are the cheapest, at Fletcher's, 138 George-street West.

TO SUFFERERS.
IRREFUTABLE TESTIMONY to the MERITS of MARSHALL'S TONIC NERVINE.
Dr. Ewington, of Balmain, writes:—"I have very great pleasure in recommending Marshall's Tonic Nervine for its great efficacy in the treatment of nervous debility.
"(Signed) WM. EWINGTON, M.R.C.S.E."
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"(Signed) J. H. KNIGHT, L.S.A., Lond."
JAMES MAYNE, Esq., F.R.M.S., late Examiner in Chemistry to the Pharmacy Board of N. S. W., writes:—
"I, the undersigned Analytical Chemist, have much pleasure in recommending MARSHALL'S TONIC NERVINE. After an exhaustive analysis of the same, I consider its prominent ingredients form a very valuable Nerve Tonic.
"(Signed) JAMES MAYNE, F.R.M.S."
N.B.—Want of space alone precludes thousands of other testimonials from being published.
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OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.
EVENING NEWS.
T. M. ALCOCK.
The popular watchmaking and jewellery establishment of Mr. T. M. Alcock is so well known that it seems superfluous to say that it is located in that busy and bustling quarter, the Haymarket. To the throngs of people passing there Mr. Alcock's place of business is at all times interesting, but at this festive time, when so many country visitors are "doing" the city, and on the lookout for "sights worth seeing," it has special attractions. The representative of this journal, on reaching this old-established house, found Mr. Alcock as busy as the proverbial bee. "I just wish to have a look at your Christmas show," he observed, and Mr. Alcock courteously gave him carte blanche to inspect the stock. A splendid show it is. The mere catalogue would fill a column. The great attraction is the show of watches, and the peculiar merits in connection with these is their sterling quality and their cheapness. There are watches and watches. Mr. Alcock can sell you a capital silver timekeeper as low as 30s, or up to £40, and he can do you a gold ditto for a guinea, or as high as £85. "You see," observed Mr. A., who was in a chatty mood, "the great secret in this business, as in all others, I to be able to buy cheaply. A man who can buy cheaply can sell cheaply. And I have this peculiar advantage, that I am my own importer. These are all what we call 'first-hand' goods—that is to say, I haven't to buy from an importer here. My London house is No. 3 Holborn Circus, and as I 'buy net,' as the trade saying is, I save 5 per cent. to begin with; and another great advantage is that I get exactly what I want, and you know I ought to understand something of the requirements of our trade here." The watches are really a magnificent lot. One he showed us (but it comes under the heading of "bracelets" rather than of watches) was a little gem in its way—the ornamental part of a gold bracelet. It was a lady's gold timepiece with a dial slightly smaller than a sixpenny piece, encased in a gold case about the circumference of a shilling—a perfect timekeeper (keyless), and so set into the bracelet that it may be removed at any time, and worn as an ordinary watch—a "dear little thing" in every respect, except as to price, which appeared to our representative to be extremely reasonable. The stock of watches which Mr. Alcock has on exhibition has a special interest for sporting people. "Stop" watches, "split seconds," chronographs, and all that family of time recorders is, indeed, his strong suit. He has Rotherhams, Walthams, Elgins, and all the best makers, and is particularly strong in English watches, which, after all, appear to beat the world for all the sound qualities required in watches. "Another advantage I have," added Mr. Alcock, "is, that for every watch you see here—(and there are hundreds of them)—I have a duplicate part—that is to say, if anything goes wrong—suppose a spring breaks, or anything of that kind—I have its counterpart in stock, and I can have the injured article repaired in a few minutes." From the show of watches the visitor turns to that of bracelets, which are to be seen in endless variety. In diamond jewellery there are all the novelties to be seen, and some charmingly pretty designs. The same remark applies to his show of brooches, earrings, lace pins, hair ornaments, and bangles. "I believe, without boasting," said Mr. A., "I have in this department the finest selection in Australia." Then there is a beautiful show of electroplated ware—centre pieces, fish and dessert knives, "fairy lamps," carvers, all works of art—combining in an eminent degree the useful with the ornamental. He has also a very big stock of clocks, with some curious and pretty designs, and all of the best workmanship. Altogether, Mr. Alcock's Christmas exhibition is one of the most interesting and valuable that sightseers and Christmas present purchasers are likely to see in their rambles through the city.

ROTHERHAM, ELGIN, AND WALTHAM WATCHES.
T. M. ALCOCK has in stock all grades made, and sells to the public at manufacturers' prices duplicate parts. All repairs with the companies' materials.
T. M. ALCOCK, MANUFACTURING JEWELLER, PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER, and DIAMOND SETTER, 673 GEORGE-STREET, HAYMARKET, SYDNEY. Established 1872.
Illustrated Catalogue and Price Lists post free.

THE NEW GOVERNOR.
WELCOME TO LORD JERSEY, and I hope the public will have the same feeling towards him as they had towards the late Governor, Lord Carrington, then I am sure he will spend a happy time during his stay in the Sunny South. I take this opportunity of thanking the ladies who took M. GOULSTON'S advice, and brought their husbands and sweethearts to him for a good suit of clothes, which they can always get with a perfect fit. M. G. is always watchful at his business, and superintends the work himself, therefore seeing that each customer gets what is due and just to him, as you are all aware that summer tweeds should be thoroughly shrunk before making up, as they soon get soiled, and when cleaned are not fit to put on again. I have
JUST RECEIVED a NEW SELECTION of COATINGS and TWEEDS of the LATEST DESIGNS.
Also FANCY VESTINGS from the principal manufacturers, also a great variety of CHOICE MATERIALS for LIGHT OVERCOATS.
M. G. has received all the NEWEST SHADES in Materials for LADIES' RIDING HABITS.
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All persons desiring to Purchase Farms, Orchards, Subdivision Blocks, or Building Allotments (water frontage or otherwise) should apply to this Company.
FIXED DEPOSITS RECEIVED at the Undermentioned Rates:—
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F. W. MIDDLETON, Managing Director.

VIOLINCELLO.—Wanted to Buy one, secondhand. State particulars, price, &c., to Cello, Herald Office.

FOR SALE, VIOLIN, Bow, and Case, cheap, £3 10s. Violin, Post-office, Paddington.

PIANO for SALE, cost £35, will sell for £15. Piano, Herald Office.

PIANO Buyers. Before deciding don't fail seeing extraordinary bargains, Gordon's, 296 Bourke-st., nr. Oxford.

PIANOS. Direct importation at importers' prices, genuine bargains. Gordon's, 296 Bourke-st., nr. Oxford.

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GORDON'S, 296 Bourke-st., nr. Oxford—Cheapest, best, and most reliable house in Sydney for PIANOS.

PIANO BUYERS will save time and money by going direct to Russell's, 29 Botany-st., off Oxford-st.

LADY, leaving Sydney, will sacrifice walnut and gold PIANO, trichord, check action, for £14 10s, cost £45, nearly new, warranted by T. L. Lucas and Co., pianoforte tuners, &c., 31 Oxford-street, Paddington.

HIGH-CLASS Pianos, gt. bargains, Lipp, Rönisch, Carl Ecke, &c., £30. Gordon's, 296 Bourke-st., nr. Oxford.

ELEGANT Walnut Piano, £15 10s, greatest bargain in Sydney, cost £61. Gordon's, 296 Bourke-st.

MASSIVE full metallic-frame Pianos, quite new, £30, £34, £36. Gordon's, 296 Bourke-st., nr. Oxford.

MAGNIFICENT Upright Grand Piano, almost new, £30, cost 90 guin. Gordon's, 296 Bourke-st., n. Ox.

ORGANS.—Five Instruments, from £50 to £300. C. Richardson, organ builder, 262 Oxford-st., Pad.

IRON-FRAMED PIANOS at manufacturers' prices; also, American Organ, £15; and large Harmonium with two rows of keys cheap.
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Government Railways.

WARWICK FARM RACES, JANUARY 17.

SPECIAL TRAINS will leave Sydney for the Warwick Farm Racecourse on the above date as under:—

Second Class, 11.55 a.m.; First-class, 12 and 12.10 p.m. The 1.18 p.m. ex Sydney will stop at all stations to Petersham, and then run on to the course; and the 1.30 p.m. ex Sydney will set down at the Warwick Farm platform if required. The 11.55 a.m. and 12.10 p.m. Specials will stop at Strathfield, if required, to pick up passengers from the north.

A Special Train for horses will leave Sydney at 10.50 a.m. Accommodation will be provided by this train for trainers and jockeys only. Horse-boxes must be ordered the day previous to the meeting. Fares, including admission to course, 3s return.

The Special Trains will return as follows:—First-class, 6.35 and 6.40 p.m.; second-class, 4.45 p.m.

Return Fares as under:

First-class to grand stand, 14s; first-class to grand stand, ladies, 9s; second-class to Leger, 5s; first-class to course, 4s.

Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Redfern, George-street, and at the Temporary Booking Office, Redfern Station.

ROUND TRIP BETWEEN SYDNEY and WINDSOR,

SATURDAY, 17th JANUARY.

CHEAP RETURN FARES: First-class, 10s 6d; second-class, 8s 6d, including Rail, Steamer, and Coach between Wilberforce and Windsor Station, available for return on the day of issue or within one week.

EXCURSIONISTS can leave Sydney by the 8.20 a.m. train, and on arrival at Hawkesbury the s.s. GENERAL GORDON will take passengers right up the River to Windsor, arriving there in time to connect with the 8.7 p.m. train, which will land passengers at Sydney at 9.40 p.m. on the same day.

On TUESDAY, 20th January, the steamer will make a trip from WINDSOR to HAWKESBURY, leaving at 10.48 a.m., on arrival of the 9.5 a.m. train from Sydney, reaching Hawkesbury in time to allow of passengers returning to Sydney by the 3.10 p.m. train.

Through Tickets, including the trip on the Hawkesbury River, are issued solely for the convenience of the passengers, and the liability of the Commissioners is limited exclusively to the railway journey.

CHEAP EXCURSION TRAINS from Sydney to the country and from the country to Sydney at special low rates will be run as under:—

TO THE COUNTRY—JANUARY 23, 1891.

Return fares from Sydney.

1st Class. s d	2nd Class. s d	SOUTHERN LINE.	
...	...	Sydney, dept.	6.45 p.m.
10 0	5 0	Mittagong, dept.	10.15 p.m.
17 0	8 6	Goulburn, dept.	12.58 a.m.
26 0	13 0	Yass, dept.	3.13 a.m.
40 0	20 0	Wagga Wagga, dept.	9.22 a.m.
50 0	25 0	Albury, arr.	11.55 a.m.
		WESTERN LINE.	
...	...	Sydney, dept.	6.25 p.m.
12 6	6 3	Mount Victoria, dept.	10.35 p.m.
17 0	8 6	Bathurst, dept.	2.19 a.m.
25 0	12 6	Orange, dept.	4.55 a.m.
40 0	20 0	Dubbo, dept.	8.40 a.m.
70 0	35 0	Bourke, arr.	6.50 p.m.

NORTHERN LINE.

Return Fares from Sydney 1st Class. s. d.	2nd Class. s. d.	Return Fares from Newcastle 1st Class. s. d.	2nd Class. s. d.		
...	...	...	—	Sydney, dept.	p.m. 5.21
18 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	Singleton, dept.	a.m. 12.5
42 0	21 0	30 0	15 0	Tamworth, dept.	7.15
55 0	27 6	43 0	21 6	Armidale, dept.	11.0
66 0	33 0	54 0	27 0	Glen Innes, dep.	p.m. 1.50
76 0	38 0	64 0	32 0	Tenterfield, arr.	4.22

From the COUNTRY to SYDNEY, 22nd JANUARY, 1891.

Return fares to Sydney.

1st Class. s d	2nd Class. s d	SOUTHERN LINE.	
50 0	25 0	Albury, dept.	2.45 p.m.
40 0	20 0	Wagga Wagga, dept.	5.15 p.m.
26 0	13 0	Yass, dept.	11.32 p.m.
17 0	8 6	Goulburn, dept.	3.20 a.m.
10 0	5 0	Mittagong, dept.	6.43 a.m.
...	...	Sydney, arr.	7.50 a.m.
		WESTERN LINE.	
70 0	35 0	Bourke, dept.	6.45 a.m.
40 0	20 0	Dubbo, dept.	4.45 p.m.
25 0	12 6	Orange, dept.	8.50 p.m.
17 0	8 6	Bathurst, dept.	11.27 p.m.
12 6	6 3	Mt. Victoria, dept.	3.15 a.m.
...	...	Sydney, arr.	6.55 a.m.

NORTHERN LINE.

Return Fares to Sydney. 1st Class. s d	2nd Class. s d	Return Fares to Newcastle. 1st Class. s d	2nd Class. s d		
76 0	38 0	64 0	32 0	Tenterfield dept.	a.m. 5.28
66 0	33 0	54 0	27 0	Glen Innes	10.54
55 0	27 6	43 0	21 6	Armidale, dept.	p.m. 1.50
42 0	21 0	30 0	15 0	Tamworth, dept.	4.50
18 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	Singleton, dept.	11.30
...	—	...	—	Sydney, arr.	a.m. 6.

These tickets will be available for return by any ordinary train within a fortnight. Handbills and further particulars can be obtained from Stationmasters.

By order of the Commissioners.
DAVID KIRKCALDIE, Chief Traffic Manager.

Sydney, 15th January, 1891.

Government Notices.

Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, Sydney, 12th January, 1891.

NOTICE TO LAY SERVICE PIPES.

NOTICE TO THE OWNERS OF TENEMENTS AND PREMISES IN—

PETERSHAM.—Blairgowrie-street, from Old Canterbury-road southerly; Fisher's Reserve, from Palace-street to Carrington-lane; Carrington-lane, from Fisher's Reserve to Railway-street.

LEICHHARDT.—The Boulevarde, from Balmain-road to Joseph-street.

RANDWICK.—Arden-street, from existing main southerly.

FIVE DOCK.—Great Northern-road, from Parramatta-road to Lyons-road; First Avenue, from Great Northern-road to Park-road; Park-road, from First Avenue to about 58 yards north of Second Avenue.

ROCKDALE.—The Grand Parade, from Bay-street to Bruce-street; Gordon-street, from the Grand Parade to The Avenue; Bay-street, from Rocky Point-road to the Grand Parade; Gibbes-street, from Bay-street northerly; Aboukir-street, from Bay-street towards Chapel-street.

KOGARAH.—Railway Parade, from Webber's-road westerly; Junction-street, from Railway Parade to Bellevue-street; Montgomery-street, from existing main to South-street; Palmerston street, from Victoria-street to Warialda-street; Victor-street, from Palmerston-street westerly; Stanley-street, from Rocky Point-road to Victoria street.

REDFERN.—Cleveland-street, from Baptist-street to George-street westerly, and from Baptist-street to Dowling-street easterly; Turner-street, from Botany-street to Castlereagh-street; Morehead-street, from Redfern-street to Phillip-street; George-street, from Cleveland-street to James-street; Walker-street, from Redfern-street to Phillip-street; James-street, from George-street to Regent-street; Regent-street, from James-street to Holden-street; Castlereagh-street, from Redfern-street to Phillip-street; Phillip-street, from Castlereagh-street to Elizabeth-street; Holden-street, from Regent-street to Eveleigh-street.

WATERLOO.—Morehead-street, from Phillip-street to Wellington-street; Wellington-street, from Morehead-street to Elizabeth-street; Kellick-street, across Elizabeth-street to existing main; Elizabeth-street, from Wellington-street to Raglan-street; Hanover-street, from Phillip-street to Wellington-street; Beaumont-street, from Wellington-street to Brunswick-street.

MARRICKVILLE.—Livingstone-road, from Warren-road towards Bertley-street; Pile-street, from Wardell-road to Lincoln-street.

GLEBE.—Franklin-place, from Francis-street to Greek-street.

ENFIELD.—Burwood-road, from Bligh-street to Ann-street.

PROSPECT and SHERWOOD.—Woodville-road, from Sydney-road about 100 yards northerly.

HURSTVILLE.—Webber's-road, from Railway Parade to south side of railway line; Railway Parade, from Webber's-road to Short-street.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Mandolong-road, from Great Military-road easterly; Cooper-street, from Great Military-road to Shell Cove-road; Raglan-street, from Great Military-road to Redan-street.

CITY OF SYDNEY.—Cleveland-street, from Dowling-street to Marlborough-street; Liverpool-street, from Oxford-street to George-street.

CAMPERDOWN.—Parramatta-road, from Johnstone's Creek to Gordon-street.

WAVERLEY.—Woodstock-street, from Paul-street easterly; Thomas-street, from Macpherson-street to Chesterfield-parade; Carlton-street, from Kent-street to Barclay-street; Barclay-street, from Carlton-street westerly.

And the several private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys, opening thereunto, distant not more than 60 yards from the main pipe.

The main pipe in the said streets having been laid down, the owners of all tenements and premises situated as above are hereby required, on or before the 13th day of February next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water from the main pipe to such tenements and premises.

D. C. ROBERTSON, Inspector to the Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE, SYDNEY.

LEASE OF PROSPECT QUARRY.

Attention is directed to Government Gazette Notice inviting TENDERS until 12 o'clock noon, on MONDAY, 9th February, for the leasing of Blue Metal Quarry at Prospect. Full particulars and special forms of tender to be obtained at the office of the Engineer for Water Supply.

By order.
REGINALD BLOXSOME, Secretary.

299 Pitt-street, Sydney, 10th January, 1891.

Business Announcements.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—On and after January 2 my Wholesale Business will be carried on at the new and spacious warehouses, CLARENCE-STREET, next the Grand Coffee Palace.

JAMES STEDMAN, Wholesale Manufacturing Confectioner.

2nd January, 1891.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

On and after MONDAY next, the 5th January, 1891, the Registered Offices of this Company will be REMOVED to BOURKE-STREET, WATERLOO.

The Australian Brewery and Wine and Spirit Company, Limited.
THOMAS MAGNEY, Secretary.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

The New South Wales Country Press Intelligence and Agency Company, owing to INCREASE of BUSINESS, have REMOVED into a more central part of the city, and are now carrying on business at their Offices, CARLYLE-CHAMBERS, 135 KING-STREET, where advertisements are received for ALL PAPERS. LIBERAL DISCOUNT allowed on all Advertisements brought or sent to the Offices.

ALFRED MILLER, Business Manager.

MR. E. HERBERT FAWCETT, Architect (late Gov. Architect's Office) has COMMENCED PRACTICE at Phoenix-chambers, 158 Pitt-street, above Mr. Washington Soul's premises.

MR. A. W. E. WEAVER has commenced the practice of his profession as an ATTORNEY, SOLICITOR, and PROCTOR, at 53 Pitt-street, Sydney.

MR. W. L. MUDDLE has commenced the practice of his profession at Fitz-Evan-chambers, 28 Castlereagh-street.

MR. R. De V. SCROGGIE, Solicitor, has commenced the practice of his profession at [illegible]-chambers, 79 Pitt-street.

FITZHARDINGE, SON, and HOUSTON, Solicitors, have Removed to [illegible]-chambers, 29 [illegible]-st.

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Overture, 8. Carriages, 10.30.

PRONOUNCED SUCCESS of the FIRST PRODUCTION IN SYDNEY of A NEW AND ORIGINAL PLAY, in a Prologue and Three Acts, by H. HAMILTON, Esq., entitled HARVEST HARVEST HARVEST.

Messrs. Titheradge, Lyndal, Cates, Clitherow, and Boucicault. Mesdames Enson, Browne, Gibson, and Williamson. The Play Produced under the Sole Direction of Mr. BOUCICAULT.

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Pretty views of Lakelet, Island, Fountain, Willows, Palms, and Flower Beds, a mass of varied colours.

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Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Pumas, and Cubs, Hyenas and Bears, a fine Grizzly from the Rocky Mountains (U.S.A.), Squirrels, Badgers, Coypu Rats, Elephants (on which do not fail to take a ride), Camels, Zebus, and Deer, West Highland Cattle, Kangaroo, 'Possums, Birds from an Eagle to the Tiny Tit in endless variety, Indian Pelicans and Adjutants, Snakes, Iguanas, Tortoises, Monkeys and Baboons with Babies, Emus, Porcupines, &c., &c.

All can have a ride on the Elephants. Jessie and Tobie perform in the afternoon.

ANIMALS FED at 4 p.m.

By kind permission of Commander Bosanquet and the officers of the corps the Band of the R. N. A. Volunteers will perform the following programme of music:—

March	"The Men of Merrie England"
Selection	"Poet and Peasant"
Valses	"In Old Madrid"
Fantasia	"Art and Nature"
Polka	"Merry Bells"
Selection	"Echoes of London"
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Finale	"God Save the Queen."

REFRESHMENTS at moderate charges in Mr. Quong Tart's Pavilion.

Admission to the Gardens, 6d; Children, 3d. Randwick and Coogee Trams stop at the Gates; Fare 3d, Children 1d.

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Prices—5s, 3s, 2s; 1s. Doors open at 7, commence 7.30. Carriages 10.45.

To avoid the crush, EARLY DOOR OPEN AT 6.30, 1s extra to the Dress Circle, Stalls, and Family Circle, 6d extra to Gallery.

NOTICE.

On the Withdrawal of the Pantomime ARRAH-NA-POGUE will be produced on a great and elaborate scale, with Miss MAGGIE MOORE as Arrah.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE

SECOND GRAND MATINEE of DICK WHITTINGTON will take place on WEDNESDAY NEXT, JANUARY 21. Box Plan now open.

CHILDREN UNDER 12 HALF-PRICE to Dress Circle, Stalls, and Family Circle.

Doors open 1.15; Commence 2 sharp.
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Our Special Prices: Orchestra chairs, 3s; stalls, 1s; gallery, 6d. Box plan at School of Arts.

Mr. Tracey wishes to announce a GRAND MATINEE PERFORMANCE TO-DAY at 3 o'clock, by the whole of the company, for the benefit of ladies and children. Doors open at 2.30. Matinee Prices: Adults, 1s; Children, 6d.

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THIS SATURDAY, AT 326 GEORGE-STREET. Just this one last opportunity of seeing and hearing Edison's Marvellous Talking-machine, THE PHONOGRAPH.

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TO-DAY	Records taken before the audience. PHONOGRAPH FAREWELL.	LAST TIME
TO-DAY	Questions invited. All explained.	LAST TIME

THE CONCERT arranged by Mrs. J. J. RYAN in aid of the Carmelite Convent, Marrickville, held in the Y. M. C. Hall, December 15, realised the sum of £56.

The SISTERS desire to convey their warmest thanks to the Ladies and Gentlemen who kindly assisted thereat.

GRAND VILLAGE FAIR,

In AID of the NORTH SYDNEY ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS and PAROCHIAL DEBT, to be opened ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, at 3.30 p.m., by HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL MORAN, in the SCHOOL CHURCH, LAVENDER BAY.

The Festival will be continued EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING until 24th instant.

GREAT ATTRACTIONS, including MAYPOLE DANCE, CONCERTS, THEATRICALS, ATHLETIC DISPLAYS, &c., &c.

ADMISSION 1s.

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, N. S. W.

GRAND EXHIBITION, 25th to 31st MARCH 1891.

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The ANNUAL EXHIBITION of this SOCIETY will be held on the Society's Ground, Moore Park, at EASTER.

Prize Schedule will be ready for issue in a few days.

Entries close 2nd March, 1891.
F. WEBSTER, Secretary.

Tattersall's-buildings, Hunter-street, Sydney. Box 517, G. P. Office. Telephone No. 468.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S SHOW.

25th to 31st MARCH, 1891.

JUDGES JUDGES JUDGES — MEMBERS of this Society desirous of Nominating Judges for the forthcoming Show are invited to do so at an early date.

ENTRIES CLOSE 2nd MARCH, 1891.
F. WEBSTER, Secretary.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S SHOW, 25th to 31st MARCH, 1891.

MEMBERS MEMBERS MEMBERS MEMBERS MEMBERS — The Annual Subscription to the Society—One Guinea—is now payable. Gentlemen desirous of joining the Society may do so at once.
F. WEBSTER, Secretary.

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ANNUAL EXHIBITION, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 4th and 5th FEBRUARY, 1891.

Entries CLOSE in all sections on 21st January.
J. A. BEATSON, Secretary.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF N.S.W.

GRAND SUMMER FLOWER SHOW. GRAND SUMMER FLOWER SHOW. To be held on the 18th and 19th of FEBRUARY NEXT.

Liberal Prizes for numerous varieties of Flowers and Fruits. Entries will be received up to 12th February. Entry forms and schedules may be had upon application. HAVILAND REYNOLDS, Secretary, 30 Castlereagh-street.

THE GRAND NATATORIUM HOTEL, 460 Pitt-street, Haymarket.—These extensive new Premises are now open, and offer every home comfort to visitors. The bedrooms are exceptionally large and convenient. This is the only hotel connected with large sea-water Swimming Baths. JAMES POOLE, Proprietor. GEORGE VINCENT, Manager.

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5. "MAGGIE, THE COWS ARE IN THE CLOVER"
6. "MY MOTHER'S OLD RED SHAWL" (Song)
7. "TWELVE MONTHS AGO" (Song)
8. "LOVE NOT" (Ballad)
9. "BIZARRE" (Gavotte)
10. "A CURL FROM BABY'S HEAD" (Waltz Song)
11. "LIST TO THE CONVENT BELLS" (Vocal Duet)
12. "DOWN WENT M'GINTY" (Humorous Ballad)
13. "ONLY A PICTURE" (Song and Chorus)
14. "THE CRICKET ON THE HEARTH" (Song)
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THEATRE ROYAL.

SECOND MATINEE PERFORMANCE MATINEE PERFORMANCE of the GRANDEST PANTOMIME GRANDEST PANTOMIME ever produced in Australia, CINDERELLA CINDERELLA CINDERELLA, will be given THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, JANUARY 17, commencing at 2 o'clock sharp.

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THEATRE ROYAL.

Lessee ... Mr. S. Lazar.
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Musical Conductor ... Mr. H. T. Harrison.
Under the direction of Mr. GEORGE MUSGROVE.

OVERTURE at 7.30. CARRIAGES AT 10.40.

LAST 2 WEEKS of CINDERELLA.

The Crowded Houses during the Past Three Weeks, THE EULOGIUMS OF THE PRESS and THE APPLAUSE OF THE PUBLIC afford ample evidence that THE OLD ROYAL still leads. WHY? Because there you can see the GRANDEST and MOST GORGEOUS PANTOMIME ever PRODUCED IN AUSTRALIA. It may be Rivalled, but NOT Equalled.

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THE SUPERB SCENERY, by Messrs. GORDON, BRUNTON, and HENNINGS.

The Entire Production under the direction of Mr. FRANK EMERY, who will appear as CLOWN.

ABSOLUTELY NO FREE LIST. CHILDREN IN ARMS NOT ADMITTED.

Admission—Dress Circle and Reserved Stalls, 5s; Stalls, 3s; Family Circle, 1s. Box Office at the Theatre open daily from 10 till 4. Tickets for all parts at Jackson's Hotel.

TUTTLE and CO.—Special Holiday Prices for LARGE PHOTOGRAPHS. Call and view the much-admired Specimens in our vestibule, Kidman's-buildings, 425 George-street.

PICTURESQUE CONCERT, PICTURESQUE CONCERT, TO-NIGHT, TO-NIGHT, Temperance Hall, at 8. Mr. J. H. VICKERY has much pleasure in announcing that a most interesting Entertainment will be given TO-NIGHT, comprising Songs and Recitations by well-known Artists, beautifully illustrated by 90 Limelight Views. Admission, 1s; Gallery, 6d. Also, the Battle of the Insects, alive, immensely magnified; first time in Sydney.

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THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 3.30, PROFESSOR BECKFORD, Ventriloquist, Illusionist, and London Punch and Marionette Performer, with his Troupe of Funny Little Folks, and a VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT with first-class Performers.

Fathers and Mothers, bring your Children.

TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) AFTERNOON, at 4, TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) EVENING, at 8, CONCERTS, SACRED and CLASSICAL, by high-class Artists, Aristocratic Coogee Provides Aristocratic Artists.

Special engagement of Miss Alice Stanley, from Crystal Palace, London; Miss Phoebe Levy and Don Anselmo Flores, in their mandoline and guitar duets; Horace D'Elmaine, winner of the gold medal at the vocalist exhibition, Christchurch Exhibition, New Zealand; M. J. Ryan, America's greatest mimic and elocutionist; Professor Gurney, premier born mimic; and E. J. Wilson, pianist. Lovers of a first-class entertainment are invited. Concerts Free, by permission of Mr. Larimer. Special trams at 7 p.m. Sensational programme of novelties for Anniversary Day.

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ONE HUNDRED YARDS HANDICAP, of £20; for Members of all the above Unions who have not competed in handicaps at metropolitan grounds. To be handicapped according to age and performance. Spiked shoes must not be worn. Entrance, 2s; no acceptance. Second man to receive £3, and third man £2, from the prize.

SACK RACE, 100yds; entrance, 1s. 1st prize £3, 2nd £1.

THREE-LEGGED RACE, 120yds.; entrance, 1s. 1st prize £3, 2nd £1.

TUG-OF-WAR. Open to teams from any of the above unions; entrance fee 1s each man. Prize £10.

OLD BUFFERS' RACE, 100yds. Competitors must be 45 years old or over; entrance 1s. 1st prize £3, 2nd prize £1 10s.

LADIES' RACE, 100yds, for Suite of Furniture; for wives and daughters (not under 16) of members of the above unions. Entres (free) for this event will be received on the ground on Anniversary Day.

NOVELTY RACE, 50yds and back. Each competitor must carry his own chum 50yds, when they will change places and race back to the start; entrance fee 1s. 1st prize £3, second £1.

BAG RACE, 100yds. Competitors in this event must pick up and carry a bag of sand (about 1cwt.); entrance 1s. 1st prize £3, second £2.

BOYS' RACE, 100yds. For boys 12 years of age and under, sons of members of the above unions; entrance 1s. 1st prize £3, second prize £1.

Entries for the above will be received between the hours of 9 and 5 at the Lillie Bridge Office, 198 Pitt-street (a few doors from Market-street), up till WEDNESDAY next, Jan. 21. Any person entering for the above events who is not eligible to run will not have the entrance fee returned. Entry forms may be had on application to the undersigned. Refreshments obtainable on the ground. Hot and cold water provided (Free). Band engaged.

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GRAND OCEAN EXCURSIONS.

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ANNIVERSARY DAY.

WILLIAM HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Limited, propose despatching the favourite steamship BALMAIN from Smith's Wharf, at the foot of King-street at 10 o'clock on ANNIVERSARY DAY MORNING for a TRIP to BROKEN BAY and the HAWKESBURY RIVER, landing passengers at Long Island Wharf. Intending passengers will thus be able to enjoy the delightful coast scenery of Broken Bay and thence up the Hawkesbury River to the new Railway Bridge.

RETURN FARE, 2s 6d.

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SUNDAY NEXT, JANUARY 18th, 1891.

THE HUNTER RIVER NEW S. S. CO. intend (weather permitting) despatching the magnificent passenger steamer MAITLAND, 880 TONS, FROM WHARF, FOOT OF MARKET-STREET, AT 10.30 A.M. SHARP.

Excursionists will be landed at the NEWPORT HOTEL WHARF for about FOUR HOURS. Magnificent scenery, Christmas bells, wild flowers, ferns, &c., plenty of good fishing, baths, swings, hot and cold water free of charge. Mr. C. GEE'S POPULAR STRING BAND ENGAGED. EXCURSIONISTS landed in Sydney on return about 6 p.m. Luncheon and refreshments on board at moderate rates.

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Tickets obtainable at Eastway's, 134 King-street, also at offices, 401 George-street, and 147 Sussex-street.

N.B.—This Excursion was postponed from Sunday last, 11th.
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SYDNEY AMATEUR SAILING CLUB.

The RACE for All Boats, best and best, of November 8th, 1890, which was ordered by the Committee to be re-sailed, will take place TO-DAY. Handicaps, entries, and course same as before, viz.:—

Iris, 22ft., N. Johnson, scratch
Ellie, 22ft., J. M'Murtrie, 3 minutes
Varuna, 22ft., W. M. Paul, 3 minutes
Æolus, 21ft., C. J. Saunders, 5 minutes
Genesta, 20ft., W. M. Cameron, 5 minutes
Nereus, 20ft., P. H. Sullivan, 6 minutes
Joylen, 24ft., B. Lyons, 10 minutes.

Flying start at 3.15 p.m., from line between starter's boat and Kirribilli beacon, down to and round Pile Light, off Watson's Bay, Shark Island, boat off Fort Macquarie, back round Shark Island, outside beacon buoy, and back to Flagboat off Fort Macquarie.

J. W. PICKERING, A. F. BETHAM, Hon. Secs.

EAST SYDNEY AMATEUR SAILING CLUB.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR.

Steamer ADMIRAL will leave Woolloomooloo Bay at 2.45 p.m. THIS DAY, to follow Handicap Sailing Race, under auspices of above club. Tickets 1s each, to admit lady and gentleman, or two ladies, to club steamer.

NATIONAL REGATTA.

ROWING RACES.

To start at 10.30 a.m.

SENIOR FOURS, in string-test boats. Course—From Kirribilli Point round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £2 2s. First prize trophies £20, second £5.

To start at 11 a.m.

ALL-COMERS, in light skiffs, single sculls, handicapped by weight. Course—From Kirribilli Point round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize £15, second £7, third £3.

To start at 11.30 a.m.

MAIDEN FOURS, in string-test boats. Course—From near Flagship round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize trophies £12, second £4.

To start at Noon.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR, rowing ships' own boats, with five ash oars. Course—From Flagship round boat off Goat Island, round Flagship and boat off Goat Island, and back to Flagship. Entrance, nil. First prize £7, second £3.

To start at 12.30 p.m.

LAIDLEY SCULLS and Medal, for amateurs in outriggers. Course—From Kirribilli Point, round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s.

N.B.—Any amateur winning the sculls twice will become the absolute holder. The medal is given annually.

To start at 2 p.m.

MANUAL LABOUR AMATEURS, in string-test boats (fours). Course—From Kirribilli Point round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize, £15, second £5.

To start at 2.30 p.m.

JUNIOR FOURS, in string-test boats. Course—From Kirribilli Point, round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize trophies £12, second £6.

To start at 3 p.m.

ALL COMERS, in outriggers. Course—From Kirribilli Point, round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize £25, second £5.

To start at 3.30 p.m.

VERNON BOAT RACE, for boys on Training Ship Vernon. Course—From Flagship round boat off Goat Island and back to Flagship. Entrance, nil. First prize, £5.

To start at 4 p.m.

MANUAL LABOUR AMATEURS, double sculls in club skiffs, &c., boats to have five (or more) equal lap streaks on either side, to be string-test, to weigh not less than 130lb., and to be 4ft. 6in. beam, 1ft. 6in. deep, and not exceeding 22ft. length, handicapped by weight. Course—From Flagship round Goat Island (outside all powder boats and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, 10s 6d. First prize £8, second £4, third £2.

SAILING RACES.

To start at 10.30 a.m.

DINGIES, 10ft. and under, to be manned and sailed by youths. Time allowance, 2 minutes per foot. Course—From Blues Point round Clark Island, Flagship, Fort Denison, and back to Flagship. Two classes. Entrance, 2s 6d. Prizes—£4, £3, £2, £1. The £3 prize goes to first boat of different class to the winner.

To start at 11 a.m.

DINGIES not exceeding 16ft. in length. Any crews. Course: From Blues Point round Fort Denison, boat off Goat Island, Shark Island (outside Pile light and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £4. First prize £12, second £3.

To start at 11.20 a.m.

ALL DINGIES, 14ft. and under, 2 minutes per foot allowed. Amateur crews. Course—From Blues Point round Shark Island (outside Pile light and buoys), Flagship, Fort Denison, and back to Flagship. Entrance, 7s 6d. Prizes, £6, £4, £2, and £1.

To start at 11.45 a.m.

ALL YACHTS, handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Shark Island (outside Pile light and buoys), round boat off Goat Island, buoy at Manly, boat off Goat Island, Lightship and Sow, Shark Island and back to Flagship. Entrance, £3 3s. First prize £25, second £15, third £10. The handicap will be declared after the race has started.

To start at 12.15 p.m.

ALL BOATS, sails limited to mainsail, jib and topsail. Amateur crews handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Fort Denison, boat off Goat Island, buoy at Manly, and back to Flagship. Entrance, 15s. First prize £12, second £6, third £4, fourth £2.

To start at 12.30 p.m.

ALL YACHTS, 2½ rating and under. P.A.Y.C. rules. Time by rating. Course—From Blues Point round Fort Denison, boat off Goat Island, Lightship and Sow, Shark Island (outside Pile light, and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. Prizes—£12, £7, and £3.

To start at 12.45 p.m.

ALL OPEN BOATS, 19ft. and over, amateur crews, handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Fort Denison, boat off Goat Island, buoy at Manly, and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. Prizes—£12, £6, £2.

To start at 2 p.m.

HALF-DECKERS, over 20ft., amateur crews, handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Fort Denison, boat off Goat Island, buoy at Manly, and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize £12, second £6, and third £2.

To start at 2.30 p.m.

ALL BOATS, 20ft. and over, amateur crews, limited as per S. A. S. C. scale, handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Shark Island (outside Pile Light and buoys), round Flagship, Lightship, and Sow, and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize £12, second £6, third £2.

To start at 2.40 p.m.

HALF-DECKERS, 20ft. and under, handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Lightship and Sow, round Flagship, Shark Island (outside Pile light and buoys), and back to Flagship. Entrance, £1 1s. First prize £12, second £5.

To start at 3 p.m.

CANOES, under Sail, not exceeding 18ft. in length, amateur crews, handicapped. Course—From Blues Point round Shark Island (outside Pile light and buoys), round Flagship, Fort Denison, and back to Flagship. Entrance, 5s. First prize £4, second £2.

Entries CLOSE THIS EVENING, at the Exchange.

Number Flags obtained from 18 Barrack-street, office of the undersigned.

JOHN BLACKMAN, Hon. Secretary.

JAPAN.

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SCENES.

ACT 1.—CATERPILLARS OF THE COMMONWEALTH. Scene—Drawing-room of Tatlow Hall. One day passes.

ACT 2.—MY DAUGHTER. WHAT OF HER! Scene—Workroom in Blenkarn's House. Six months pass.

ACT 3.—A WAXEN IMAGE 'GAINST A FIRE. Scene—The Firing House. Two and a half years pass.

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ANNIVERSARY MEETING, 1891,

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MONDAY, JANUARY 26,

ANNIVERSARY DAY,

PROGRAMME:

THE HURDLE RACE, of 150 sovs., to be started at 1 p.m.

LUNCHEON.

THE CHALLENGE STAKES, of 300 sovs., to be started at 2.15 p.m.

THE SOVEREIGN PLATE, of 150 sovs., to be started at 3 p.m.

THE NURSERY HANDICAP, of 150 sovs., to be started at 3.45 p.m.

THE ANNIVERSARY HANDICAP, of 500 sovs., to be started at 4.30 p.m.

THE CORINTHIAN PLATE, of 150 sovs., to be started at 5.15 p.m.

Members of the A. J. C. can obtain admission to the Saddling Paddock on presentation of the tickets for 1891.

Professional Trainers can obtain Tickets for Extra Boys on Friday, 23rd instant.

Tickets for the Saddling Paddock can be purchased at MYERS and SON'S, Tobacconists, King-street, at the TRAMWAY TERMINUS, Bridge-street, and at the RACECOURSE.

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1—The HURDLE RACE, to start at 1.30 p.m.

LUNCHEON.

2—The FLYING STAKES, to start at 2.30 p.m.
3—The SOVEREIGN HANDICAP, to start at 3.5 p.m.
4—The NEW YEAR HANDICAP, to start at 3.45 p.m.
5—The PACE WELTER, to start at 4.25 p.m.

SPECIAL TRAINS will leave Redfern Station as follows:—

Horse Train, 10.50 a.m. First-class, 12 noon
Second-class, 11.55 a.m. First-class, 12.10 p.m.
Mixed, 1.18 p.m.

The 11.55 a.m. and 12.10 p.m. Specials will stop at Strathfield.

The 1.30 p.m. from Sydney will stop at Warwick Farm Platform to set down passengers if required.

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TROTTING AND RACE MEETING, MOORE PARK.

FRIDAY, 23rd JANUARY, 1891.

MINIATURE HANDICAP—½-mile. 15 hds. and under. Handicap of 20 sovs.

FLYING HANDICAP—4 furlongs and 50 yards. 14 hds. 1 in. and under. Handicap of 25 sovs.

TIME TROT HANDICAP—2 miles. For a purse of 35 sovs. Saddle and Harness.

SELLING RACE—½-mile. 14 hds. and under. Of 30 sovs. W.Y.A.

MOORE PARK HANDICAP—6 furlongs. 14 hds. 2 in. and under. Handicap of 30 sovs.

CLUB HANDICAP—5 furlongs. 14 hds. and under. Handicap of 30 sovs.

Nomination fee, 1 sov.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Owners and trainers are given notice that all entries must be accompanied with the necessary fee. Entries close 4 p.m. MONDAY NEXT, 19th January.

E. G. FROOM, Secretary.

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SATURDAY, 31st January, 1891.

THE CLYDE HANDICAP of 60 sovs.; a winner of a handicap after declaration of weights to carry 7lb extra—6 furlongs.

THE SELLING RACE of 50 sovs., weight for age; the winner to be sold for 100 sovs.; 7lb allowed for each reduction of 25 sovs. on selling price—7 furlongs.

THE STEEPLECHASE, a handicap of 75 sovs.—about 2½ miles.

THE WELTER HANDICAP of 60 sovs.; lowest weight 9st; a winner of a handicap after declaration of weights to carry 7lb extra—1 mile.

THE NURSERY HANDICAP of 75 sovs., for two years old; a winner of a handicap after declaration of weights to carry 7lb penalty—5 furlongs.

THE ROSEHILL HANDICAP of 100 sovs.; second horse 10 sovs from the prize; the winner of a handicap after the declaration of weights to carry 7lb extra; distance, 1 mile and 3 furlongs.

A. J. C. rules.

Entrance for each race, 1 sov.

Entrances for the above races must be made with the undersigned before 4 p.m. on MONDAY, 19th January, 1891.

Weights will be declared on or before Tuesday, 27th January, 1891, or such time as the committee may appoint.

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TINY HANDICAP, 13·2, 4 furlongs
TEMPE HANDICAP, 14·1, 5 furlongs
PONY HANDICAP, 13 3, 4 furlongs
GALLOWAY HANDICAP, 14·2, 1 mile.

ENTRIES CLOSE 5 p.m., FRIDAY, 23rd January.

Entrance for each event, 1 sov.

Winner of any handicap flat race after the declaration of the weights to carry 7lb. extra; two or more such handicaps, 10lb. extra.

Weights on or about TUESDAY, January 27.
JOHN JOLLY, Secretary.

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APPLICATIONS are invited from Persons desirous of plying the vocation of Bookmaker in the Saddling Paddock and Ledger Reserve, at all race meetings to be held on the Canterbury Park Racecourse during the present year.

A registration fee of £5 5s will be charged for the former enclosure, and £1 1s for the latter.

None but members of Tattersall's Club, Sydney, or of the Victorian Club, Melbourne, will be registered for the Saddling Paddock.

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NEXT SATURDAY, the 24th JANUARY, and FOLLOWING DAYS.

GATES opened at 10.30 a.m. Play commences at NOON. LUNCHEON, 1.30 p.m. GAME resumed 2.15 p.m. PASS CHECKS only issued between 1 and 2 o'clock. ADMISSION to GROUND, 1s; Stand, 2s 6d extra; Children, half-price. Members must produce their tickets at the gates. By order of the Trustees.

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NOTICE is given that the Trustees have decided to issue a limited number of LIFE MEMBERS' CARDS upon payment of Fifteen Guineas (£15 15s).

Early application should be made in writing to the undersigned, as a limited number ONLY will be issued.

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SEASON 1891.

TICKETS ARE NOW READY FOR ISSUE.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.—LADIES' TICKETS.—To members paying £2 2s annually TWO LADIES' TICKETS are also issued; to COUNTRY MEMBERS ONE LADY'S TICKET.

Each ticket will admit one lady to the Reserve on all occasions. Members are admitted free to the Ground and Reserves on all occasions.

Gentlemen desirous of becoming members and securing all the above privileges are requested to send in their names at once to the undersigned.

THE GROUND SEASON DATES from OCTOBER 1 to SEPTEMBER 30 in each year.

CRICKET MATCHES are played by the older members upon the first Monday in each month. Those desirous of playing should send in their names.

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CRICKET GROUND wanted, by Saturday next, January 24. T. W. Everingham, Box 498, G.P.O.

DANCING.—Private Classes for Ladies and Gentlemen. Mrs. C. Read's Assembly Rooms, William-st.

DANCING.—Mr. A. READ, Professor.

Strictly select Public and Private Class re-opened; private lessons alone arranged.

Juveniles and Ladies, this day, 3 p.m.

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ASHFIELD, St. Heliers, Elizabeth-st.—Principal, Mrs. Browne. Studies resumed Tuesday, January 20.

ATHOLE, Church-st., Croydon.—School Duties resumed Monday, 19th. Principal, Miss Elphinstone.

AN English Lady seeks RE-ENGAGEMENT as Governess to pupils under 14. English, French, music, plain and fancy needlework, good references. Apply A. K. P., 20 Orwell-street, Potts Point.

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ASHFORD COLLEGE, WALDE-STREET, POTTS POINT. STUDIES RESUMED January 22. Miss HAYLES at home TUESDAY.

BRISBANE HOUSE, Glebe Point.—School duties commence Wednesday, Jan. 21. E. C. Harpur, prin.

BUTLEIGH, Enmore.—The Misses REA. School work Resumed on Tuesday, January 20th.

BELLEVUE COLLEGE, Rosslyn Gardens, Darlinghurst.—Pupils prepared for Matriculation, Senior, Junior, Civil Service Examinations. A class for Juniors from 7 years. Duties resumed Jan. 20. JOHN VICTOR, T.C.D.

BOYS' Preparatory School, Tennecarra, 11 Kellett-street, Darlinghurst.—Miss Ebsworth, assisted by Mr. Carter, will resume school duties on the 19th inst. Evening Class will be formed for Bookkeeping, Phonography, &c.

BRISBANE HOUSE SCHOOL, NORTH SHORE.

Duties Resumed February 2nd. VACANCIES for four Boarders. Mrs. HOODLE, Principal.

COMMERCIAL AND CLASSICAL SCHOOL. GUERNSEY, Stanley-street, facing Presbyterian Church. Established 1875. W. WHYTE, Principal.

The course of instruction is thoroughly practical, and comprises all the subjects required for a SOUND ENGLISH EDUCATION.

Pupils are carefully prepared for commercial pursuits, taught to write a good business hand, be quick and accurate in figures; special instruction being given to boys who are backward. Preparatory CLASS for little boys from six years. Vacancies for resident and day pupils. Terms, Prospectus, &c.

WORK RESUMED MONDAY, JANUARY 19.

CROYDON COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

(Established 1873.)

PRINCIPAL (successor to the Rev. W. S. Newton, M.A.), T. HILHOUSE TAYLOR, (of Paris and Stuttgart Universities, and King's College, London. Prizeman at the South Kensington science and art Department. Late Master of Modern Languages at the Church of England Grammar School, Melbourne).

ASSISTED BY COMPETENT MASTERS.

The School is close to the Croydon Station, and the BOYS' RAILWAY FARES ARE PAID by the Principal.

Special Attention is paid to SPELLING, WRITING, ARITHMETIC, and READING, and the boys are THOROUGHLY GROUNDED in General English Subjects.

Boys intended for business pursuits are Taught BOOK-KEEPING, SHORTHAND, CORRESPONDENCE, and MENTAL ARITHMETIC.

Pupils prepared for all Examinations.

FRENCH, GERMAN, DRAWING, DRILL and GYMNASTICS are included in the ordinary school course, thus enabling the Principal to offer parents the great desideratum of FIXED FEES and NO EXTRAS.

WORK RESUMED THURSDAY, JANUARY 22.

Prospectus on application to THE PRINCIPAL.

FLUTE, OBOE.—Signor Pagnotti receives pupils, 109 Darlington-road, Darlington. Fine Flutes for sale.

GIRLS' SCHOOL, Dorset House, Wilson-st., Newtown.—The Misses Sutton resume duties Mon., Jan. 19.

GLENLYON SCHOOL, Point Piper-rd., Woollahra.—School Re-opens MONDAY, January 19. Morning Classes for girls under 8 years, 12s 6d per quarter. Principal—Miss ALEXANDER.

GIRTON COLLEGE, Kellett-street, Bayswater-road.

Principal: Miss WRIGHT, assisted by Professors. Duties resumed January 21st. At home Tuesday afternoon.

HENLLYS, WOOLLAHRA.—Miss Webster's Class begins THURSDAY, January 22.

HIGH-CLASS GIRLS' SCHOOL.—The Misses Latham, Taylor-st., Parrama. School re-opens Jan. 22.

ITALIAN.—Signorina BUGINO, private pupils; also schools visited. 43 Craigend-street, Darlinghurst.

LADIES' SCHOOL, Miss Bokenham's, Olivia-terrace, 520 Bourke-st., S.H. Studies resumed Jan. 19.

LINWOOD Girls' School, Livingstone-road, Marrickville.—Work resumed Monday, 19th January.

LADY at Forest Lodge wants PUPILS for music, 14s per quarter. A. A., Post-office, Glebe.

MADAME BRODZIAK BOOTH, returned from London, recommenced Tuition, 142 Wm.-st., Woo'loo.

MISS SOMMERVILLE'S Educational Establishment, 13 Wigram-road, Forest Lodge. Duties resumed.

MISS KATHLEEN ROBINSON, Teacher Piano and Theory, T. C. L. cert., 264 Victoria-st., D'hurst.

MR. WILLIAM BIGGS will resume Tuition Mond. 19th, Loma, cor. Queen and Ocean sts., W'lah.

MRS. ROWLAND, Feather Dresser, Glove Cleaner, stylish Dressmaker, 31A Woolcott-avenue, Darl'hurst.

MRS. BOKENHAM JONES, G.H.S.M., teacher Music and Sing., resumed lessons Jan. 19. 645 B'ke-st.

MDME. LOUISE MURDOCH (Daughter-in-law to Sir Clinton Murdoch), Pianiste, 384 Bandle-street.

MISS BIDDELL receives pupils every afternoon and Mond. and Thurs. evgs. 21 Botany-st., Dar'hurst.

MINNAVILLE SCHOOL for Resident and Daily Pupils, conducted by Miss Connor. Ensuing Quarter begins on MONDAY, 19th instant. 311 Upper Dowling-street, Darlinghurst.

MISS JAMES, Certificated Teacher Piano and Theory (pupil Madame Kellermann), can take a few more private Pupils. For terms, address Ruthven, Hurstville; or 145 Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst.

MRS. C. FISCHER-CRIPPS receives and visits pupils for piano, singing, and theory. For terms apply The Pines, 75 Pyrmont Bridge-road, Glebe Point; or Bruce and Massey's, Pitt-street. Tuition resumed January 19.

MRS. J. A. DOBBIE, Teacher of Singing and Piano.—Thorough instruction in vocal sight-reading, voice cultivation, and enunciation. Special attention given to accompanying. 304 Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

MR. J. A. DOBBIE, B.A.

Matriculation, Junior, Senior, Civil Service Exams. Tuition in general subjects. Schools visited. Over 150 Pupils passed. 304 Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

MUSIC.—Mademoiselle GOUET, assistant teacher at Mme. KELLERMANN'S Conservatoire, visits and receives Pupils at her own residence, 130 Brougham-st., Darlinghurst, and at Mme. Marie's, 49 Wilson-st., Newtown.

MADAME CHARBONNET KELLERMANN'S CONSERVATOIRE DE MUSIQUE, 146 Victoria-street North, Potts Point.

PIANO. Madame Charbonnet Kellermann and Mr. Fred. Kellermann. THEORY and HARMONY by Mr. and Madame Kellermann.

Of fifteen pupils presented for exam. in connection with Trinity College, London, FOURTEEN were successful, no less than SEVEN taking honours, one obtaining the SILVER MEDAL for Intermediate.

Harmony Exam. Classes for next Exam. now forming.

PREPARATORY CLASSES by assistant teachers under Madame Kellermann's supervision. STUDIES RESUMED MONDAY, 19th instant.

MR. ALEX. REA receives Pupils for Piano, Organ, Singing, Theory, &c. Agent for W. Hill and Son, builders of the Grand Centennial Organ. Butleigh, Simmons-street, Enmore.

PROF. G. H. D'HARCOURT, Gymnastic Instructor. Schools and families visited. P.O., Burwood.

RATHMORE, PALACE-ST., PETERSHAM. Principals—Mrs. and the Misses ELLA. School duties will be Resumed on WEDNESDAY, 21st. Prospectus on application.

RYDAL MOUNT, Belmore-street, Ryde.—Boarding and Day School for Girls. Principal, Miss E. PYE, assisted by efficient teachers. Next quarter begins on WEDNESDAY, January 28th.

QUEEN'S COLLEGE, BLACKHEATH.

Work Resumed on February 2nd. Principal, Miss MacArthur.

SINGING and Pianoforte.—Miss KOSTEN, 237 Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, near St. John's Church.

SINGING.—Miss RAPER will Resume Lessons January 19. 12 Rosebank-st., Darl'hurst, and Elvy's.

SIGNOR VITTORINI, pupil of late Signor Lamperti, Milan. Singing, piano. Roslyn Gardens, D'hurst.

ST. STEPHEN'S Grammar School, Newtown.—EVENING CLASSES for Junior Examination.

SIGNORA C. DE BARATY, Teacher of Music and Singing, begs to inform her pupils that she will begin tuition on MONDAY, 19th instant. Few vacancies. 10, 5, and 3 guineas per quarter. 169 Bourke-street.

TUITION in Matriculation Subjects wanted twice a week. A. X., P.O., Newtown.

THE KINDERGARTEN, Falcon-street, St. Leonards. Principal, Miss PYE.

Next Quarter begins JANUARY 28th. Miss Pye will be at home Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Prospectus on application.

TORSONCE, MOUNT-STREET, North Shore. HIGH-CLASS SCHOOL for GIRLS. A limited number of boarders received. Quarter begins WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28th.

HELEN VEITCH-BROWN, HELEN E. NELSON.

YOUNG lady (18), holding musical certificates, just finished High School education, wishes ENGAGEMENT in school as MUSIC TEACHER; salary no object. COLLEGE, Herald Office.

YOUNG Lady, age 18 (certificated pupil of the "Hammond" Typewriting School, and rapid writer), is desirous of obtaining SITUATION in merchant's office as Typewriter. Apply to Mrs. WHITE, "Hammond" Typewriting School, 50 Sydney Arcade, King-street.

WINCHESTER, POINT PIPER-ROAD, WOOLLAHRA.

Boys are prepared for the UNIVERSITIES, for the PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS, and for BUSINESS PURSUITS.

The number in attendance being limited, pupils receive a large amount of individual attention. The quality of the teaching may be judged from the fact that 39 pupils (out of 42 who have been prepared) have passed their respective examinations at the University, viz.:—JUNIOR, 18; CIVIL SERVICE, 12; MATRICULATION, 5; LAW, 4.

Boys intended for a business career receive thorough instruction in BOOKKEEPING and SHORTHAND.

References kindly permitted to Professors of the Sydney and Melbourne Universities, also to parents of pupils.

Terms, £3 per quarter. THIS FEE INCLUDES ALL SUBJECTS.

Studies resumed January 27th.
G. W. HUGHES, B.Sc.

Y.M.C.A. EDUCATIONAL CLASSES.—New Quarter just commencing. MATRICULATING SUBJECTS: Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays, from 7 p.m. to 9; tutor, Mr. A. J. STUDDY, B.A.

WRITING and BOOKKEEPING: Wednesdays, from 7 p.m. to 9; tutor, Mr. JAMES BRUCE.

SHORTHAND.—Fridays, from 7.30 p.m. to 9.30; tutor, Mr. C. H. TURNER. TERMS VERY LOW. Further particulars at the office. DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will of CATHERINE ANN HOLLAND, late of Wilcannia, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette, application will be made to this Honourable Court, in its Probate Jurisdiction, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the eighteenth day of June, A.D. 1884, may be granted to JOHN CARMODY, of Urana, in the said colony, Schoolmaster, the sole executor in the said Will named.

Dated this 19th day of December, A.D. 1890.

LAURENCE and RICH, Proctors for the said Executor, 13 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN ITS PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Lands, Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of JOHN WINTERHELD, late of Petersham, in the colony of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased, intestate.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette, application is intended to be made to the Judges of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Probate Jurisdiction, that Letters of Administration durante minore aetate of the lands, goods, chattels, credits, and effects of the abovenamed JOHN WINTERHELD, who departed this life on or about the first day of November, 1890, may be granted to JOHN SEACH, of Springhill, in the said colony, Fettler, the father and guardian of RICHARD EDWIN SEACH, the grandson and next-of-kin of the said deceased.

Dated at Orange this thirtieth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

GEORGE de V. PILCHER, Eldon-chambers, Orange, Proctor for the said John Seach.

By his Agents, Messrs. LAURENCE and RICH, Proctors, 13 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3176.

Re FRANCIS FREWIN, a Contineer in Darlinghurst Gaol, Insurance Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 5th day of February, 1891, at 11 o'clock a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.

To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.

ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. A. MORRIS, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3171.

Re JOHN PARKER, of Addison-road, Marrickville, Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 5th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.

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ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. A. MORRIS, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Will of ELLAR M'KELLAR M'KINLAY, late of Dungog, in the colony of New South Wales, Surgeon, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts in the above estate have this day been filed in my office, Supreme Court-house, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the thirtieth day of January instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto, otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law.

Dated this 5th day of January, A.D., 1891.
T. W. GARRETT (L.S.)

A. F. RICHARDSON, Proctor for the Executor, East Maitland.

By Deane and Deane, his Agents, 27 Rowe-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will of MICHAEL JAMES HARRINGTON, late of Mooculta, near Bourke, in the colony of New South Wales, Homestead Lessee, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette application will be made to this Honourable Court, in its Probate Jurisdiction, that Probate of the Will of MICHAEL JAMES HARRINGTON, late of Mooculta, near Bourke, in the colony of New South Wales, homestead lessee, deceased, who died on the tenth day of December, 1890, may be granted to THOMAS HARRINGTON, of Bourke aforesaid, drover, the sole Executor in the said Will named.

Dated this twenty-third day of December, A.D. 1890.

WILKINSON and WILKINSON, Proctors for the said Executor, Albury.

By LAURENCE and RICH, their Agents, 13 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

ULTIMO ESTATE.—The Messrs. HARRIS, Ultimo, request all Lessees in arrear with their GROUND RENTS to pay same at Ultimo House on or before the 31st January, 1891. After that date, accounts will be placed with their solicitors, Messrs. BRADLEY and SON, for recovery; and all rights of forfeiture or re-entry under leases will be enforced.

GEO. HARRIS, Ultimo.

KINDLY NOTE that from the 1st of February our Establishment will be closed at 2 o'clock on SATURDAYS.

CALLAGHAN and SON, 395 George-street.

NORTON AND REED, FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN, 30 HUNTER-STREET, respectfully intimate to their numerous customers and the public generally, that their Establishment will be OPEN as usual on MONDAY next, the 19th instant.

The Fire being confined to their workshops only, their large and well-selected stock remains in perfect order, so that they are fully prepared to carry on business as before, and hope to receive the continuance of their past favours.

PAGE and NOTTING, 98 King-st., Public Accountants, Auditors, Trade Assignees, E. and F. Agents.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL.

THE ALISON ESTATE, Situate at WYANG, in the GOSFORD DISTRICT, and at MULLET CREEK.

HARDIE and GORMAN announce that the above Properties, advertised for auction sale on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21st, have been WITHDRAWN from the market for the time being.

EASTWAY BROTHERS, the Wire-workers, have only one address, 411 George-street (Don't be misled).

EASTWAY BROTHERS' Fishing Tackle Depot is at 411 George-street (Don't be misled).

J. J. MARSHALL, Dentist, 410 Geo.-st (only).—Artificial Teeth, full sets, £5, £10, £15. 18-carat gold.

NEW 2s size of Marshall's TONIC NERVINE now obtainable. Marshall Bros., 410 George st., only.

UNLESS T. P. CRAMPTON and THOMAS AITKEN call within one week of this date their goods and chattels will be sold by public auction.

M. D. SPRUHAN, Grand View Hotel, Paddington.

ELEGANT FLOOR COVERINGS for Drawing-rooms, Dining-rooms, Bedrooms, Libraries, and Halls.

We are showing an unrivalled assortment in Brussels, Wiltons, Axminsters, Kensington Squares, and Indian and Turkish Squares.

Those about to furnish or renew their Carpets are invited to inspect our splendid Stock.

DAVID JONES and COMPANY, Upholsterers and Furnishers, George-street, Sydney.

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Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in Form B of the said Act, on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name of Applicant.	Residence.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
No. 7504. St. Leonards, 1 rood 25¼ perches and 1 rood 10¼ perches, in Myrtle and Eden streets, adjoining the premises of Jenkins, Bourke, Taylor, M'Clelland, and Dr. Ward.	William James Graney	St. Leonards	19 Feb., 1891.
No. 7890. Sydney, 7¼ perches, in Sussex-street, adjoining the premises of ... Hordern,—is part of allotment No. 2 of section No. 10, granted to Thos. Barker.	Reuben Godfried Jacobs	Sydney	19 Feb., 1891.
No. 8196. Field of Mars, 3 acres 1 rood 5¼ perches, adjoining the properties of S. Allen, M. Hockley, James Smith, and F. Hibberd,—is part of 60 acres granted to J. Kenny.	Sarah Allen and Maria Hockley, wife of Philip Hockley	Carlingford	19 Feb., 1891.
No. 8246. Wellington, 1037 acres and 989 acres, on the Macquarie River,—granted to John Osborne and Joseph Barrow Montefiore.	The Bank of Australasia	—	19 Feb., 1891.
No. 8003. Town of Casino, 2 acres 1 rood, allotments Nos. 17 to 20 of section No. 22, and the northern half of allotment No. 2.	Francis Alcock	Casino	26 Mar., 1891.
No. 8026. Narrabri, 1 rood, allotment No. 5 of section 25,—granted to P. Quinn.	Elizabeth Stephens, wife of Spencer Stephens	Narrabri	26 Mar., 1891.
No. 8227. Greenwich, 5 acres 2 roods 10¼ perches, comprised lot No. 43 and parts of lots Nos. 41 and 42 of section D of Nichol's Estate.	John St. Vincent Welsh	Sydney	26 Mar., 1891.
No. 8345. Wingen, 262 acres,—is part of two portions of 640 acres each, granted to Wm. Forsyth.	Solomon Wiseman	Cliffdale, Wingen	26 Mar., 1891.
No. 8369. Mortlake, Parramatta River, 10 acres 0 roods 25¼ perches,—is part of 30 acres granted to Wm. Broughton.	Joseph Edward M'Donald	Concord	26 Mar., 1891.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated at Sydney this 16th day of January, 1891, at the Registrar-General's Department.
CHARLES PINHEY, Registrar-General.

SPECIAL NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

APPLICATIONS having been made, under section 79 of the Real Property Act, by the undermentioned, to be registered as "Proprietors by Transmission" of the lands hereunder described, such applications will be complied with, and Certificates of Title issued in accordance therewith, unless Caveats be lodged on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name and Residence of Applicant.	Title, how claimed.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
No. 8484. 1 rood, situate in the city and parish of Goulburn and county of Argyle, being allotment No. 5 of section No. 100.	James Stewart and Frederick Stewart	Devisees under the will of Wm. Stewart, who died on the 26th June, 1884.	February 19, 1891.
No. 8485. The land comprised in seventeen Crown grants and five certificates of title, situated at Turramby, Harbord, Mudgee, Blackheath, and Parramatta, in the parishes of Tambaroora, Manly Cove, Mudgee, Blackheath, Holsworthy, and St. John, and counties of Cook, Gloucester, Wellington, and Cumberland.	Emily Smith, George Phillips, and John Jabez Phillips	Devisees under the will of Shepherd Smith, who died on the 13th September, 1886.	February 19, 1891.
No. 8371. 2 roods, being allotment No. 8 of section No. 1, situated in the village of Seahill, parish of Bald Hill, and county of Rous.	James Stocks	Executor under the will of William M'Rae, who died on the 30th June, 1887.	February 19, 1891.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated at Sydney, this 16th day of January, 1891, at the Registrar-General's Department.
CHARLES PINHEY, Registrar-General.

REAL PROPERTY ACT.
NOTICE OF INTENDED ISSUE OF PROVISIONAL CROWN GRANT, Vol. 192, Folio 135.

Proprietor, ELIZABETH WOOD. Land: 2 roods, being allotment 5 of section 1, situate in the town and parish of Crookwell and county of King.
THE proof of loss of the abovenamed original and other particulars required by section 86 of the abovenamed Act (26th Vic., No. 9) before issue of Provisional Crown Grant having been supplied,—I hereby, with the consent of the Land Titles Commissioners, and in further pursuance of the requirements of this section, notify my intention to issue such Provisional Crown Grant accordingly, at the expiration of twenty-one days from the date hereof.
CHARLES PINHEY, Registrar General.
Sydney 16th January, 1891.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 5th January, 1891.
ANNUAL TENDERS.
TENDERS FOR FORAGE FOR THE POLICE THROUGHOUT THE COLONY AND FOR PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS, METROPOLITAN AND PARRAMATTA DISTRICTS, 1891-1892.
NOTICE is hereby given that TENDERS for the Annual Forage Supplies for the Police throughout the colony, and for Public Departments, Metropolitan and Parramatta Districts, for the year ending 31st March, 1892, will be received at the Treasury up till noon of FRIDAY, the 27th February, 1891.
The list of stations and conditions of contract, &c., will be found in Government Gazette (Supplement) No. 767, of 31st December, 1890, and in succeeding numbers up to date of receiving Tenders, copies of which can be seen at all Court-houses throughout the colony.
Tender forms can be obtained at the various Police Stations or from the Treasury.
W. M'MILLAN.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 5th January, 1891.
ANNUAL TENDERS.
TENDERS FOR RATIONS, PROVISIONS, FIREWOOD, &c., FOR GAOLS, HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE, THE MILITARY FORCE, &c., &c., 1891-1892.
NOTICE is hereby given that TENDERS for the Annual Ration and Provision Supplies for the Public Service for the period from 1st April, 1891, to 31st March, 1892, will be received at the Treasury up to noon of FRIDAY, the 27th February, 1891.
The Establishments for which supplies are required, the articles of supply, and the conditions of contract, will be found in Government Government (Supplement) No. 767, of 31st December, 1890, and in succeeding numbers up to date of receiving tenders—copies of which can be seen at all Court-houses throughout the colony.
Tender forms can be obtained at the various institutions, or at the Treasury.
W. M'MILLAN.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 9th January, 1891.
STEAM-TUG SERVICE.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon of FRIDAY, the 30th instant, from persons desirous of Supplying and Maintaining an efficient Steam-tug for use at the undermentioned place, namely:—
THE CLARENCE RIVER,
on the basis of an annual subsidy from the Government, and with the right reserved to the tenderer to charge shipping for the use of the tug at rates not exceeding 6d per registered ton, both in and out, with a minimum of £1 10s.
Conditions may be seen at the office of the Marine Board.
The vessel must be of not less than 50-horse power, and be thoroughly fitted, in the opinion of the Marine Board, for the service required.
The service to commence on 1st March, 1891.
Tenderers must state the amount of subsidy (over and above the towage rates) required for the service, and must submit the names of the persons (two) they propose as sureties.
The contractor, within fourteen days from the notification of acceptance of tender, will be required to enter into a bond with his sureties for the due performance of the service; and in the event of failure to complete the bond in the time named, the contract may either be re-advertised or another tender accepted.
The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Tug Service."
W. M'MILLAN.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 9th January, 1891.
PRINTERS' IRON FURNITURE.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until noon of FRIDAY, the 30th instant, for the supply of the following SIDE and FOOT STICKS:—

12 dozen	...	... 5 inch	6 dozen	...	12 inch
37 dozen	...	... 6 inch	6 dozen	...	13 inch
37 dozen	...	... 7 inch	6 dozen	...	14 inch
36 dozen	...	... 8 inch	6 dozen	...	15 inch
12 dozen	...	... 9 inch	6 dozen	...	16 inch
12 dozen	...	... 10 inch	6 dozen	...	17 inch
24 dozen	...	... 11 inch			

Samples may be seen at the Government Printing Office, Phillip-street.
Three side and foot sticks are urgently required.
Delivery will be taken by instalments, and Tenderers are to state the date on which the first and last delivery respectively will be made, together with the quantity proposed to be delivered on each occasion.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Printers' Iron Furniture."
W. M'MILLAN.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 17th January, 1891.
TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.
(For conditions see Government Gazette.)
TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at this Department until 11 o'clock a.m. on the dates mentioned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21.
Construction, &c., of Railway Bridges, Leycester and Wilson Creeks, Lismore-Tweed Railway.
Construction of 1st Section Lismore-Tweed Railway.
Erection of Courthouse, Hay.
Landing Stage, &c., at Moniadie. Fresh tenders.
Extension of Admiralty Wharf, Woolloomooloo.
Construction of Punt for Mouth of Bega River.
Erection of Wharf, Seven Oaks, Macleay River.
Supply of Anchors, Chains, &c., Department of Public Works, 1891. Fresh tenders. £20 deposit.
Re-covering Roof Lightkeeper's Quarters, Hornby Lighthouse. Fresh tenders.
Erection of Sergeant-Major's Quarters, Chowder Bay. Fresh tenders.
Repairs to Officers' Quarters, Victoria Barracks.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4.
Bridge, Bogan River-road, Bourke to Brewarrina. Fresh tenders.
Bridge, in approach to Eldersile Bridge, Hunter River.
Bridge, Mickle's Creek-road, Cobargo to Bermagui.
Construction of Hand-geared Punt for Nymboy River, at Nymboyda. Fresh tenders.
Additions to Mess, Victoria Barracks.
Manufacture of Switches and Crossings for Tramway Construction.
Alterations to Closets, new public offices. Fresh tenders.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18.
Contract No. 64 Sydney Sewerage, Construction of Aqueducts in connection with Main Outfall Sewer. Western Suburbs.
Construction of Tramway from present terminus of the North Shore Cable Tramway to Lane Cove-road.
Additions, Shaftesbury Reformatory.
Erection of Superstructure, New Central Police Court.
New Superstructure Bridge, Manila River, at Barraba.
Bridge, Barrows River, at Barrows. Fresh tenders.
Erection of Court House, Uimarra. Fresh tenders.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4.
Bridge, Lachlan River, at Cowra.—Contract No. 1, supply of ironwork: Contract No. 2, erection.
Alternative tenders at schedule rates will be received for sections Nos. 1 and 2, in one contract.
BRUCE SMITH.

Darlinghurst Gaol, 15th January, 1891.
TENDERS are invited, and will be received up to the 1st February next, from persons desirous of tendering for the Refuse from Darlinghurst Gaol for a period of twelve months from that date. It will be necessary for the person tendering to give the names of two approved persons to guarantee regular payments.
Tenders should be addressed to the undersigned, from whom full particulars can be obtained.
F. HERBERT, Governor Sydney Gaol.

Department of Public Works, Harbours and Rivers Branch, Sydney, January 8, 1891.
TO ENGINEERS, MACHINERY IMPORTERS, AND OTHERS.
TENDERS will be received up till noon of WEDNESDAY, 21st January, for the Supply and Delivery at West Maitland Railway Station of one 8in. SCREW-CUTTING LATHE and small STEAM ENGINE, with SHAFTING, &c.
Full particulars can be obtained at this office and from Assistant Engineer, Newcastle.
C. W. DARLEY, Engineer-in-Chief.

Board of Health Office, 127 Macquarie-street, Sydney, 7th January, 1891.
LEPROSY ACT, 1890, 53° VICTORIÆ, No. 20.
SECTIONS 5 and 6 of the above Act are hereby published for the information of Medical Practitioners, Householders, and others.
By order of the Board of Health.
EDMUND SAGER, Secretary.

Every Leprosy Case to be reported immediately, under penalty.
5. On the appearance of any case of leprosy in any house or premises the householder or occupier of the said house or premises, and also the medical practitioner attending the case, shall immediately report in writing such case to the proper authorities in manner following, that is to say,—If the case occur within the Metropolitan Police District then the report of the case shall be made to the Secretary of the Board of Health, and if the case occur beyond the Metropolitan Police District then the report shall be made to the Officer in charge of the Police Station nearest to the said house or premises. If any person required by this section to report any such case shall fail to make such immediate report as hereinbefore required, such person shall be liable to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than fifty pounds.
6. The Governor, upon the recommendation of the Board of Health, may make and issue regulations for the purpose of carrying this Act into effect; and such regulations shall be forthwith published in the Gazette. Any person, not being a leper, who shall wilfully disobey, or aid in violation of any such regulations, or who shall resist or wilfully obstruct any person in the lawful exercise of any of the powers conferred under this Act, or who shall, without lawful excuse, neglect or disobey any requirement made under the provisions of this Act, or shall neglect or refuse to obey any order or direction of the Board of Health made under this Act, within the time limited in that behalf by such order or direction, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE, SYDNEY.
TENDERS are invited for the undermentioned Works. For particulars see Government Gazette Notice.
Supply and Erection of a Water Tank at Kogarah—19th January.
Fencing the Board's Depot at North Shore—19th January.
Laying a 6in. Main Supply Pipe from the Sydney Water Supply Canal, near Cecil Hills to Mount Misery, for the Liverpool Water Supply—27th January.
Construction of 15,232 lin. ft. of Pipe Sewers, boroughs of Woollahra and Waverley. Contract 52 and 52a Sewerage—2nd February.
By order.
REGINALD BLOXSOME, Secretary.
309 Pitt-street, Sydney, 14th January, 1891.

NATIONAL PARK.
TENDERS will be received at this office until SATURDAY, 24th January instant, for the exclusive Right of Grazing and Depasturing Horses and Cattle on the Park, situated on the Illawarra line.
Tenderers to state the annual rent they are willing to offer, and the tender to be endorsed, "Tender for Depasturing Horses and Cattle on the National Park."
J. E. ORMISTON, Secretary to the National Park Trust.
National Park Office, No. 5 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

Ordnance Office, 15th January, 1891.
TENDERS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon on FRIDAY, 23rd January, 1891, from persons willing to contract for the Emptying of Ash-pits at Victoria Barracks.
Terms of contract and specifications can be seen on application at the Ordnance Office, Circular Quay.
By order,
J. T. BLANCHARD, Major, D. A. C. G. of O.

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DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.
—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. Page Wood stated publicly in court that Dr. J. Collis Browne was undoubtedly the inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was deliberately untrue, and he regretted to say it had been sworn to.—Times, July 13, 1864.
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Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
PROBATE JURISDICTION.
In the Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of WILLIAM THEODORE HARKUS, late of Mullenderree, North Moruya, in the colony of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, deceased intestate.
NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the Sydney Morning Herald, notice of intention to apply having already appeared in the New South Wales Government Gazette, application will be made to the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Probate Jurisdiction, that letters of administration of all and singular the goods, chattels, credits, and effects of William Theodore Harkus, late of Mullenderree, North Moruya, in the colony of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, who died on or about the 16th day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, may be granted to SYDNEY DE GARVIS HARKUS, of Mullenderree, North Moruya, in the colony aforesaid, the eldest son and one of the next of kin of the said deceased.
Dated at Sydney this sixteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.
RAWLINSON and BLAND, Proctors for Administrator, Moruya.
By their Agents, SLY AND HAMILTON, 379a George-st., Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
PROBATE JURISDICTION.
In the Lands, Goods, Chattels, Credits and Effects of WILLIAM KINNANE, late of Millers Forest, in the colony of New South Wales, farmer, deceased intestate.
NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the Sydney Morning Herald, notice of intention to apply having already appeared in the New South Wales Government Gazette application will be made to the Supreme Court of New South Wales in its Probate Jurisdiction that letters of Administration of all and singular the Lands, Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of WILLIAM KINNANE, late of Miller's Forest, in the colony of New South Wales, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 11th day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, may be granted to MICHAEL O'BRIEN, of Miller's Forest, aforesaid, the duly appointed attorney under power of attorney of JAMES KINNANE, of Kalamazoo, in the county of Michigan, in the United States of America, farmer, the father, and next of kin of the said deceased. Dated this sixteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.
GEORGE THOMAS CHAMBERS, Proctor for the Applicant, East Maitland.
By his Agents, SLY and HAMILTON, 379a George-st., Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3211.
Re JOHN HIGGINSON, of Gladstone-street, Leichhardt, Warehouseman.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 5th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.
ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. A. MORRIS, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3210.
Re JOHN WALKER, of Silver-street, Marrickville, formerly of Waverley, Builder.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 4th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.
ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. E. M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3208.
Re JOHN CHEADLE, of Albert-street, Newtown, Plaster.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 4th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
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ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. E. M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3209.
Re JOHN FREDERICK REES, of 50 Susan-street, Camperdown, Agent.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 4th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy, not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.
ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. E. M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3167.
Re JAMES GEDDES, of Botany.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 4th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.
ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. E. M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3216.
Re CHRISTOPHER FRANK, of Holden-street, Ashfield, Greengrocer.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 4th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.
ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. E. M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 3215.
Re SIDNEY ROSS ADSHEAD, of Strathfield, near Sydney, Commercial Traveller.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Registrar's Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 5th day of February, 1891, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.
To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat, his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 2nd day of February, 1891.
ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.
Mr. A. MORRIS, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
PROBATE JURISDICTION.
In the Will of HENRY GLASSON, late of Stanfield, in the district of Carcoar, in the colony of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette application will be made to this Honourable Court, in its Probate Jurisdiction, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Stanfield aforesaid on the tenth day of January, A.D. 1891, may be granted to ANNIE GLASSON and JOHN HENRY GLASSON, the Executrix and Executor in the said Will named.
Dated at Carcoar this 12th day of January, A.D. 1891.
JOSEPH STANTON LAMROCK, Proctor for the said Executrix and Executor in the said Will named, Carcoar.
By LAURENCE and RICH, his agents, 18 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
Re EDWARD MOUATT, exparte ALBERT ROBERT GREGORY and JOHN JOSEPH PEARCE (trading as Albert Gregory and Co.)
NOTICE is hereby given that the hearing of the Petition herein has been extended until Tuesday next, the 20th instant, when it will then be heard and disposed of by the Registrar in Bankruptcy, and that in lieu of personal service of the said petition substituted service has been directed by means of this notice. Dated this 16th day of January, A.D. 1891.
WILLIAM FRANCIS DRENNAN, Solicitor for the Petitioning Creditors.

TO JOSEPH CURETON, formerly of Whixall, Salop, England, but last heard of at Moe, Gippsland, Victoria, Australia.
By an order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of John Cureton, late of Whixall, Salop, farmer, deceased, and in an action Williams against Williams, 1890, C., No. 2561, an inquiry was directed "Whether Joseph Cureton, a son of the testator, John Cureton, in his will named, was living or dead at the date of the death of Sarah Cureton, the testator's widow."
The said Sarah Cureton died at Whixall on the 7th day of August, 1889.
By the will of the said John Cureton, deceased, the sum of £100 is given to the said Joseph Cureton, if living, at the time of the death of the said Sarah Cureton.
The said Joseph Cureton, if living, at the death of the said Sarah Cureton, and if then living and since dead, his legal personal representative is, on or before the 1st day of June, 1891, to send by post, pre-paid, full particulars of his claim, together with the necessary evidence to establish same, to EDWARD BYGOTT, Solicitor, Wem, Shropshire, England, the solicitor for the present trustees of the will of the said John Cureton; and, in default thereof, the said trustees will, immediately after the said 1st day of June, 1891, apply to Mr Justice Kekewich, before whom the said matter is proceeding, to answer the said inquiry, on the assumption that the said Joseph Cureton died in the lifetime of the testator's said widow.
Dated the 8th day of December, 1890.
PRITCHARD ENGLEFIELD and CO., Solicitors, Painters' Hall, London, E.C.,
Agents for E. Bygott, Wem, Shropshire, Solicitor for the said trustees.

TO THE PROPRIETORS OF THE AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK.
Ladies and Gentlemen,—Having retired from the Medical profession I beg to intimate I am a Candidate for the position of Auditor in your Bank, in which I hold a large interest, and solicit your support.
Before studying medicine I was brought up to mercantile pursuits at home and in India. I spent 5 years in the Caledonian Insurance Company, one of the oldest and best Insurance Companies in Edinburgh, and there obtained a thorough knowledge of bookkeeping and accounts, which enabled me to take the position of Managing Clerk in a large public accountant's office in Newcastle-on-Tyne, which position I resigned to become manager of a large and influential mercantile firm in Singapore. I deem such an education should qualify me for the appointment.
Yours Faithfully,
A. E. MORSON, M.D.
Adderstone, North Sydney.

TO THE PROPRIETORS OF THE AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK.
LADIES and GENTLEMEN,—
I have the honour to inform you that I am a CANDIDATE for the position of Auditor in the above institution, and respectfully solicit the favour of your support at the next half-yearly meeting.
Yours faithfully,
JOHN S. DUNLOP, of Edwards, Dunlop, and Co., Limited.

TO the Shareholders of the Australian Joint Stock Bank.—I beg to intimate that I am again a CANDIDATE for the position of Auditor in your bank.
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Hon. Charles Moore	2	0	0
Mr. F. Perks, Glebe Point	1	1	0
Mr. E. L. Jones (D. Jones and Co.)	1	1	0
Mr. R. Hope-Atkinson	1	1	0
Ten shillings each from Messrs. Park, Dewar, Carter, and Friend	2	0	0
	£18	9	0

Further contributions will be thankfully received and acknowledged by Rev. J. HORNBY-SPEAR, St. Peter's Parsonage, Mount Victoria.

CARRINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CONVALESCENTS, Camden.
All Persons anxious to obtain admission to this Institution are requested to apply to the Medical Superintendent of one of the following Hospitals:—Sydney, St. Vincent's, or the Prince Alfred.
ALFRED ROBERTS, JAMES O. FAIRFAX, Hon. Secretaries.

LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION, N. S. W.—The MONUMENT erected to the memory of the late Rev. JOSEPH BARNIER in the Balmain Cemetery will be UNVEILED at 4 p.m., THIS DAY, by W. STEPHEN, Esq., M.L.A., R.W.G.M. An ORATION will be delivered by the Rev. Pastor ALLEN, Grand Chaplain.
A. J. S. GILCHRIST, G.S.
H. E. TYDEMAN, D.G.S.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
PROBATE JURISDICTION.
In the Last Will and Testament of JOSIAH WISBY SNARE, of Major's Creek, in the district of Braidwood, in the colony of New South Wales, Gardener, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette, application will be made to this Honourable Court, in its Probate Jurisdiction, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the above-named JOSIAH WISBY SNARE, deceased, who died on the 23rd day of July, A.D. 1890, may be granted to MARY SNARE, of Major's Creek aforesaid, the sole executrix in the said Will named.
Dated this sixth day of January, A.D. 1891.
FELL and SON, Proctors for the said Executrix, Braidwood.
By LAURENCE and RICH, Proctors for the said Executrix, 18 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

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NOTICE.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the above Company will be CLOSED for fourteen days from the 20th instant.
KELSO KING, Secretary.
Sydney, 15th January, 1891.

PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 7th, to WEDNESDAY, the 21st of January, 1891, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board.
JOHN R. STREET, Managing Director.

VICTORY GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that Certificate No. 241, in the name of WILLIAM ROBERT NEWTON, for shares in this Company, numbered 33741 to 33990, both inclusive, having been lost, a duplicate certificate for the said shares has been issued to the said William Robert Newton.
Dated at Sydney this fourteenth day of January, 1891.
By order of the Board.
C. P. SMITH, Secretary.

CASTLE RAG PROPRIETARY SILVER-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have decided to EXTEND the TIME for applying for the SHARES in this Company until January 31st instant, in order that shareholders who have been away from Sydney may have a further opportunity of taking up any shares they may be entitled to, by virtue of their holding in the old company.
61,000 shares have been applied for up to date.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, January 19th, 1891.

PUBLIC LIBRARY, MUSEUMS, and NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA.
The Trustees of the Public Library, Museums, and National Gallery of Victoria, offer a prize of £200 for the best, and a prize of £100 for the second best, DESIGN by Australian artists for a companion statue to the "St. George and the Dragon," at present placed on the north lawn in front of the Public Library buildings.
The designs and a model in clay to be submitted to the trustees not later than 30th June, 1891.
The trustees do not bind themselves to award any prize unless in their opinion the designs submitted are of sufficient merit to justify them in doing so.
In the event of the trustees deciding to have a bronze statue cast from any of the designs submitted, the prize awarded to the owner of such design will merge in the price of the finished work.
By order of the Trustees,
T. F. BRIDE, Librarian.
Public Library, Melbourne, January 9, 1891.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, GUNDAGAI.
The above Council hereby invite Competitive DESIGNS for a Town Hall, Gundagai, from persons willing to compete, and offer a premium of £5 to the competitor whose design the Council may approve; building to cost £600, and to be 50ft. by 30ft. ground plan, two stories high, with two offices on ground floor and two on first floor.
Intending competitors can obtain all particulars as to foundations, levels, &c., on application to the undersigned.
Designs to be in the hands of the Council within one month from date.
W. MATCHETT, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Gundagai, 15th January, 1891.

IN addition to our Shipping Agency, we have arranged to add that of ordinary Ship Broking Business, under the management of Mr. GEORGE J. BANKS. All orders for charters, sale or purchase of ships, entrusted to us will have careful attention.
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WILLIAM PERRIN.
I, WILLIAM PERRIN, of Napier, do hereby declare that the above is true in every particular.
WILLIAM PERRIN.
This declaration was made before me, Frederick Sutton, one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the colony of New Zealand, on the third day of January, 1891, at Napier, New Zealand.
F. SUTTON, J.P.

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CAPITAL, £6,000,000.
Subscribed, £3,500,000. Paid-up, £344,000.
Reserve Fund, £210,000.
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Accumulated Funds over £700,000

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Capital, £1,000,000. Capital Subscribed, £500,000.
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The Corporation act as Agents for Public Companies, Corporations, or Trusts in the issue of their Bonds, Debentures, Shares, or other securities, and make advances on the Debentures or other obligations of Companies, Corporations, or persons.
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HEAD OFFICE—37 O'CONNELL-STREET, SYDNEY.
CAPITAL, £150,000.
DIRECTORS:
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AGENTS wanted everywhere.
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PAID-UP CAPITAL 100,000
OFFICES—148, PITT-STREET.
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SUBSCRIBED and PAID UP 616,340
HEAD OFFICE—40, Threadneedle-street, LONDON.
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Authorised Capital, £250,000, in 50,000 Shares of £5 each. Capital Paid Up, £100,000. Subscribed Capital, £150,000.
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Reserve Fund £600,000
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Assistant Branch Inspector, James Lindsay Ballantyne.
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Incorporated 1863.
CAPITAL, £4,000,000.
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General Manager—E. M. Young.
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2 months ... ... 8 per cent.
6 months ... ... 7½ per cent.
3 months ... ... 6 per cent.
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6 months ... ... 6 per cent.
3 months ... ... 5 per cent.
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Registered and Incorporated 17th October, 1856.
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Capital, £1,000,000.
Reserve Fund, £105,000.
DIRECTORS:
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Capital: Authorised, £1,500,000. Subscribed, £300,000.
Directors:
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12 months ... ... 8½ per cent.
6 months ... ... 7 per cent.
3 months ... ... 6 per cent.
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D. J. WILSON, Secretary.

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James W... Esq.
Authorised Capital £200,000
Subscribed Capital 100,000
Paid-up Capital 35,000
Reserve Fund Account 31,500
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For 6 months ... 7 per cent.
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Sums of any amount received and interest allowed on the daily balance at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.
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65, MARKET-STREET, SYDNEY,
between Pitt and Castlereagh streets.
Incorporated under the Companies Act, February 16, 1880.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £150,000.
Directors:
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HEAD OFFICE: EDINBURGH.
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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL 250,000 0 0
PAID UP 49,937 10 0
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OUR LONDON LETTER.

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Mr. Parnell remains the hero of the hour, and public attention is still riveted on him and his doings. To such an extent is this the case that Parliament adjourned for the Christmas holidays as it had assembled, almost without attracting notice. No one now seems to care for anything save the latest phase of the struggle between Mr. Parnell and his opponents, and the interest is sustained by the gallant fight which the deposed leader is making to re-assert his supremacy. The conflict at Westminster ceased after the memorable meeting of Saturday last, and it is now being continued in Ireland. Mr. Parnell signalised his entry into Dublin, where he commenced the local campaign, which will last throughout the Christmas holidays, by one of those dramatic acts which appeal so powerfully to the Irish people, and which show him to be pre-eminently a man of courage and action, not a mere armchair politician. One of the minor incidents of last week was the mutiny of *United Ireland*, which had followed the lead indicated by its absent editor, Mr. William O'Brien, and arrayed itself on the side of the opponents of the hon. member for Cork. The latter, however, holds a considerable interest in *United Ireland*, as he also does in the *Freeman's Journal*, and as soon as he got to Dublin he availed himself of his proprietary rights to summarily eject the whole staff on *United Ireland* and fill their places with nominees of his own. This was not done without a little free fighting, but Mr. Parnell, aided by the sheriff's officers, got the better of it. In the night-time, however, the evicted journalists, reinforced by a body of bruisers, re-took possession of the offices by a *coup de main* and made "pye" of all the type which had been set up in Mr. Parnell's interest. Early on Thursday morning the hon. member for Cork, with a few of his friends, with considerable difficulty burst open the barricaded doors of *United Ireland* offices, and after a long struggle again obtained possession of the building which now remains in charge of Mr. John O'Connor and Mr. Campbell. The twice evicted party have betaken themselves to the offices of the *Nation*, from which they will issue a *United Ireland* of their own, while Mr. Parnell's *United Ireland* will emanate from the regular offices of the paper. There will thus be two *United Irelands* until one obtains an injunction to suppress the other. The anti-Parnellite faction feel the want of a daily organ in Ireland, and it had been proposed to convert *United Ireland* into a daily newspaper. But the M'Carthyites, or whatever they are to be called, reckoned without their late leader, and Mr. Parnell's vigorous action has completely checkmated them. The hon. member for Cork, indeed, is showing so many of the qualities not only of a soldier, but of a general, that despite the forces arrayed against him we can hardly doubt that he will win in the end. He will have to count upon the active opposition of the priesthood; but, so far, one cannot see that the manifesto of the bishops has produced much effect. The manifesto has been read in the churches, but the people are paying little attention to it, and the bishops cannot expect any assistance from Rome in dealing with their disobedient co-religionists. The Vatican has not forgotten the action of the Irish hierarchy in reference to the Papal Rescript, and is not at all sorry to see the Irish bishops flouted by their flocks. The manifesto has certainly caused Sir John Pope Hennessy, who had been nominated by Mr. Parnell for the vacant seat at North Kilkenny, to declare that he will not render allegiance to the heretofore uncrowned king. But Mr. Parnell has had no difficulty in finding a gentleman—Mr. Vincent Scully, a well-known Nationalist—who will contest the seat in his interest against Sir John Pope Hennessy, despite what the bishops have to say. Nor did the manifesto of the hierarchy keep the citizens of Dublin from according to Mr. Parnell such a welcome on his arrival there on Wednesday as seems to show conclusively that he has lost none of his popularity with the Home Rule "masses," though the Nationalist "classes" may be showing signs of turning against him. The mobbing of Mr. Tim Healy, too, was another proof that, in Dublin at any rate, popular feeling runs high in favour of the hon. member for Cork. Mr. Parnell is acting with promptitude and decision, and almost every day giving some fresh instance of his dash and daring, and at the same time, it must be admitted that because of his unscrupulousness, his opponents seem half afraid to grapple with him or to take any decisive step. The manifesto which they issued on Tuesday was not a particularly strong document; in fact it is almost apologetic in its tone, the utmost that the M'Carthyites can bring themselves to say against Mr. Parnell being that if he had worked as hard during the past four years as Mr. Gladstone has done, Home Rule would very probably have been gained by this time. It is the activity of Mr. Parnell, coupled with the apathy of his opponents, which induces so many people to think that the ultimate issue of the struggle on which the Irish Nationalist party is now embarked must be to his advantage.

Some stirring scenes were enacted before the locality of the fight for the leadership was transferred from St. Stephens to Ireland. At the time of writing last week we were awaiting the upshot of the interview of the Irish deputation with Mr. Gladstone. It will be remembered that at Mr. Parnell's initiation the Irish party passed a resolution empowering a deputation from their number to seek an interview with Mr. Gladstone, Mr. John Morley, and Sir William Harcourt, and obtain from them specific assurances as to what they meant to do about the police and the land question, in case the next general election should place them in a position to deal with the Home Rule question. If they expressed themselves on these two vital points in a manner satisfactory to Irish aspirations, Mr. Parnell promised to retire from the leadership of the Nationalist party, without more ado. It was the general belief that the member for Cork had got Mr. Gladstone in a cleft stick over this matter. If he and his colleagues avowed themselves prepared to give the Irish Parliament full power to deal with the lands and the constabulary Mr. Parnell would be able to boast that he had tied the English Liberal party down to a definite scheme of Home Rule, and the enhancement to his prestige thereby would have been such as to make his retirement merely a farce, while if the assurances on this point were not satisfactory, Mr. Parnell could turn to his party and ask—What is the use of sacrificing me simply to please Mr. Gladstone who, after all, is not prepared to give you the measure of Home Rule which you require? But, just as Mr. Parnell is cleverer than his colleagues in the Irish Parliamentary party, so Mr. Gladstone is cleverer than Mr. Parnell. The right hon. member for Midlothian at once saw through Mr. Parnell's scheme, and forthwith set himself to out-general that astute politician. I should say that Mr. John Morley and Sir Wm. Harcourt were not present at the interview between Mr. Gladstone and the Irish deputation, both gentlemen having expressed a desire to leave the matter entirely in Mr. Gladstone's hands, he being the sole leader of the Liberal party. Mr. Gladstone saw the Irish members as arranged on Friday last, and entered into a full conversation with them. He, however, declined to give the assurances asked for by the resolution unanimously adopted by the Irish party, until the terms of the same should have been so altered as to make no mention of any difference of opinion between himself and Mr. Parnell as to what took place at the Hawarden interview of November last year. The deputation, therefore, returned to their party, got the resolution put into terms more agreeable to Mr. Gladstone's wishes, and forwarded the amended resolution to that right hon. gentleman, thinking that he would appoint another meeting with them. Mr. Gladstone had thus scored one point in getting Mr. Parnell's name expunged from the resolution. He now proceeded to score another. He wrote to the Whips of the Irish party a letter, the effect of which was that he must decline to discuss the subjects named in the resolution until there had been a change in the leadership of the Irish party, when he should be prepared to enter into confidential communications on those points. In other words, he told the Irish party plainly that they must get rid of Mr. Parnell before he could discuss his Home Rule policy with them. Mr. Gladstone thus turned the tables on Mr. Parnell. Instead of being embarrassed by the request to disclose his Irish policy as the price of Mr. Parnell's retirement, he quietly insisted upon that gentleman's deposition as a condition precedent to any disclosure of his future intentions with respect to Home Rule.

When Mr. Gladstone's reply became known, the Anti-Parnellite faction determined to bring matters to an immediate issue. A few of them met in the early hours of Saturday morning, and decided that the question of Mr. Parnell's leadership must be settled at the meeting to be held in No. 15 Committee room on that day. They resolved to do everything in their power to get a vote taken on the direct question of Mr. Parnell's deposition, but they admitted that there was little hope of doing this so long as the hon. member for Cork remained in occupation of the chair. Accordingly, it was agreed that if they failed, to get the sense of the meeting taken on the plain question whether Mr. Parnell should or should not be continued in the leadership, they would walk out of No. 15 Committee-room, hold a meeting of their own in another part of the House of Commons, depose Mr. Parnell, and elect their own chairman. They, therefore, arranged to have the Conference-room of the House of Commons kept open for their accommodation. There was a full muster of the party at the hour appointed for assembling on Saturday. The usual dilatory tactics on the part of Mr. Parnell's supporters were commenced, and every effort was made to interpose between the meeting and the deputation's report. Ultimately, however, the latter was read, and then both sides set to work. Each knew what was coming, and each had carefully prepared its Plan of Campaign beforehand. Mr. Abraham and Mr. Jno. O'Connor both rose at the same time, the former to move a resolution deposing Mr. Parnell from the leadership, and the latter a motion expressing dissatisfaction with the result of the negotiations with Mr. Gladstone. Mr. Parnell, however, refused to see Mr. Abraham, and called upon Mr. Jno. O'Connor. A scene of the wildest confusion then ensued. The anti-Parnellites commenced to shout for Mr. Abraham, while the Parnellites called equally loudly for Mr. Jno. O'Connor, and the state of uproar which took place continued for a great length of time. One dramatic account of the proceedings describes the din and turmoil as terrific, and the excitement uncontrollable. At the head of the table, beside the chair, stood Mr. Parnell, erect and straight as an arrow, with head and chest thrown back in defiant attitude, his pale face twitching with excitement, his brow furrowed and contracted, and a wild look in his dark eyes. Some of the most ardent of his followers, including Mr. Jno. Redmond, Mr. Leamy, Mr. Wm. Redmond, Mr. Conway, and Mr. Edwd. Harrington, crowded immediately around him; and the rest of those who still called him leader spread along in a thin line to his left. On his right hand and down that side of the room, and away at the lower end, were massed his opponents, yelping at him, shouting, cheering, groaning, and thumping the tables with clenched hands, and beating the floor with sticks and umbrellas. Meantime Mr. Parnell continued to shout out at the top of his voice, "Mr. John O'Connor, Mr. John O'Connor," while the friends of Mr. Abraham were equally vociferous in demanding that his resolution should be taken first. An attempt was made by Mr. Abraham to read the resolution himself, but this was peremptorily stopped by Mr. Parnell, who ruled the hon. member out of order. Then the resolution was passed up to Mr. Parnell, but he angrily threw it back, saying, "I'll not take it, sir." A short time afterwards a piece of paper was handed to Mr. Justin M'Carthy, who was sitting next to Mr. Parnell. The latter, suspecting it to be Mr. Abraham's resolution, and that Mr. M'Carthy was going to put it to the meeting, dashed it out of that gentleman's hands, hotly accusing him of trying to usurp the functions of the chair. This was one of the most dramatic incidents of the meeting. Another was when Mr. Healy, who has throughout been conspicuous for the bitterness of his antagonism to Mr. Parnell, asked in a contemptuous voice, when some reference had been made to the master of the party, who was to be its mistress. For a moment Mr. Parnell seemed to be almost beside himself with passion, but he managed to control himself, and rested content with telling Mr. Healy that he was "a cowardly little scoundrel" for daring to insult a lady in the presence of Irish gentlemen. Finally, after a long scene of turmoil and tumult, Mr. Abraham was permitted to move his resolution, and then Mr. Jno. O'Connor followed. But by this time it was evident that all hope of getting the meeting to come to a unanimous decision was at an end. Accordingly Mr. Justin M'Carthy rose, and, in a few mild words, stated the intentions of himself and his colleagues. He followed up his language by quitting the room, accompanied by 44 of Mr. Parnell's former followers, and thus the split in the Parnellite party became an accomplished fact. It broke up into two hostile factions between which there is a daily-increasing enmity. Mr. M'Carthy and his friends proceeded to the conference room of the House of Commons, where they held a short meeting, at which they formally threw off their allegiance to the hon. member for Cork, and erected themselves into a separate party, with Mr. Justin M'Carthy as their chairman, with a committee to assist him composed of Messrs. Abraham, J. Dillon, Tim Healy, W. O'Brien, A. O'Connor, T. P. O'Connor, D. Sheehy, and T. Sexton. They then brought their proceedings to a close, and the meeting of Mr. Parnell's followers, in No. 15 committee-room, broke up about the same time.

The upshot of the proceedings so far is that Mr. Parnell remains chairman of the Irish Parliamentary party by virtue of the vote given on Tuesday, the 25th of last month; but about two-thirds of his followers have severed their political connection with him. He, however, has no intention of yielding to the views of the majority, but means to do all in his power to regain his old position of supremacy. Forty-five members seceded from him on Saturday, and their ranks have been recruited by the addition of the O'Gorman Mahon. This old gentleman, who was a prominent figure in Ireland before the days of Catholic Emancipation, first introduced Mr. Parnell to Mrs. O'Shea, and so strongly did he feel about the revelations in the Divorce Court, that he consulted his physicians as to whether it would be possible for him to fight a duel with the member for Cork. Of course the doctors peremptorily vetoed any such proposal. Five of the American delegates are with the M'Carthyites. There are thus 51 members who have broken with Mr. Parnell. Those who remain with him amount to about 30, including Mr. Harrington, the sixth American delegate. This accounts for 81 members of the party. One seat, that of North Kilkenny, is vacant, and the contest over it will be the first trial of strength on Irish soil between Mr. Parnell and his opponents, while the opinions of four members are described as uncertain.

As soon as the decisive rupture had taken place neither side lost time in setting out for Ireland, where the question of Mr. Parnell's supremacy must be finally decided. The preoccupation of the Irish party ever since the assembling of Parliament had enabled Ministers to make such good progress with their measures that they were in a position to adjourn Parliament for the Christmas holidays on Tuesday. This arrangement permitted of the Irish members going off to Ireland at once without neglecting their legislative duties. The struggle has now begun in that quarter of the kingdom, and we are likely to have stirring scenes throughout the Christmas vacation. So far, all the advantages of popularity seem to be on the side of the hon. member for Cork. His journey from Euston to Dublin partook of the nature of a triumph, and nothing could have been more enthusiastic than the reception accorded to him in Dublin. He was equally well received in Cork, and at only one place, Mallow, on the line of journey between Dublin and Cork, was there anything like a hostile demonstration against him. At Mallow matters certainly did assume a serious aspect, and had not the train quickly left the station, it is possible that Mr. Parnell might have been dragged from the carriage and roughly handled. It is quite on the cards, therefore, that the approaching contest at North Kilkenny will be conducted on the most approved lines of "Irish diversion," and that we shall have realistic representations of Donnybrook Fair.

Mr. Parnell's speeches nor the manifesto of the M'Carthyite party are productions of particular note. The question of Mr. Parnell's moral fitness to lead the Irish party does not come under discussion at all. The point at issue between the member for Cork and his opponents is simply whether it was worth while to throw him overboard to please Mr. Gladstone and the English Radicals.

The M'Carthyites claim that Home Rule cannot be secured at the next general election without the co-operation of Mr. Gladstone and the English Radicals. Mr. Parnell contends that the Liberal party would not be able to do very much for Home Rule, and the Irish Nationalists would be able to help themselves quite as much as the English Radicals helped them. He told the men of Cork that "we need not fear the loss of this trumpery bill of Gladstone's—a bill which would allow the police to baton our heads just as they do now; a bill which would allow the evicting landlord to desolate the country just as he does now; a bill which would give nothing that the Irish people could not get for themselves without the bill." The manifesto issued by the Irish delegates in the United States is on the same lines as that which emanated from Mr. Justin M'Carthy and his colleagues, though couched in much stronger terms, and more emphatic in its insistence upon the disaster which will assuredly overtake the cause of Home Rule at the next general election if the Irish party go to the country with divided counsels. Mr. T. Harrington has published a manifesto on his own account, setting forth his reasons for sticking to Mr. Parnell. The mission of the Irish delegates to America has, of course, been rendered a nullity, and we understand that the delegates will at once proceed to return home. Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien will very likely take up their quarters for the present in France, so as to be within easy reach of their colleagues, should the latter desire to consult with them. Some uncertainty prevails as to what shall be done with the funds which have been subscribed in America. Those who have charge of them do not know whether to give them to Mr. Parnell or to Mr. Justin M'Carthy. A similar state of confusion exists with regard to the funds already in the hands of the National League. There is said to be a sum of £22,000 lodged with a Paris banker in the names of Mr. Parnell, Mr. M'Carthy, and Mr. Biggar, but Mr. Parnell had permission to draw the money in his own name if he thought fit. In all probability he has done so, but Mr. Arthur O'Connor and Mr. J. F. X. O'Brien have gone to Paris to ascertain what has become of it. There is another sum of £27,000 in London, which is lodged in the names of Mr. Parnell and Mr. Justin M'Carthy, but this cannot be touched without the signatures to the cheques of both these gentlemen.

When Mr. Gladstone was told of the resolution passed by the majority of the Irish Parliamentary party, removing Mr. Parnell from the leadership, he exclaimed in fervent tones, "Thank God, Home Rule is saved." Later in the evening he visited the Princess's Theatre to witness Mrs. Langtry's representation of "Anthony and Cleopatra," in the first scene of which occurs the word—"reneges" renounces—used by Mr. Parnell in his famous speech to the Irish party on Monday of last week. The fact of Mr. Gladstone going to the theatre is a proof that the Parnell crisis has weighed very heavily on his mind, for he only resorts to this sort of amusement when he wants a very thorough change of mental ideas. Under ordinary circumstances a theological problem or a knotty passage in Homer are ample to afford him all the intellectual relaxation of which he stands in need.

The exclamation just quoted shows how strong is the conviction in Mr. Gladstone's mind that Home Rule plus Mr. Parnell would be a thing impossible of achievement. The same idea permeated his two short speeches to the electors of the Bassetlaw constituency yesterday. At Retford he repeated the declaration he had made to Mr. Justin M'Carthy that Mr. Parnell's continuance in the leadership would be fatal to the cause of Home Rule in this country. At Worksop he said: "I cannot discharge my duty without endeavouring to make it known everywhere that the determination of the Liberal party is final and irrevocable, and that they could not undertake the business of prosecuting effectually at the coming election the cause of Home Rule in connection with a particular name."

ENGLISH GOSSIP.

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 12.

Throughout Greek literature the dead are said to no longer see the light of the sun. Moreover, ghosts, according to Homer, inhabit the land of the Cimmerians on the border of the ocean stream. The Cimmerians, says Homer, are "enveloped in fog and mist; nor ever does the bright sun gaze down on them with his beams, neither when he advances to the starry heaven, nor when he descends again from heaven towards earth; but baneful night is spread over the wretched people." Now, if an ancient Greek, with these thoughts in his head, could have seen London during the last 10 days he would certainly have imagined himself to be in a city designed for ghosts, and not for living men and women. It is at least ten days since we have seen the sun or the smallest patch of blue sky. It has generally been necessary to have the gas lighted even at noon. Moreover, it has been horribly cold, and the cold has not been of the kind that makes you feel sprightly and inclined for exercise, but a dull dreary cold. The London fog takes three forms. It spreads itself like a pall over the sky; it descends lower and rests on the tops of the houses; it falls to the ground and envelops everybody with its stifling vapours. Of course the last fog is the worst. A few years ago there was a dreadful ground fog. Vehicles had to be left in the streets all night, the horses being unharnessed and led home. People hopelessly lost their way in Ludgate circus, though the circus is not more than about 30 yards across, and though it was at the time lighted with the electric light. Strange to say, the electric light is less able to penetrate a fog than gas. In the fog I have just been mentioning, a very powerful electric lamp was absolutely invisible at the distance of six yards.

People cannot become accustomed to London fogs. They resent them more and more as they grow older, and each fresh fog finds them with impaired tempers. How, indeed, can a man be happy when his eyes are streaming and tingling, when his throat and nostrils are choked up, when his liver (probably) is disordered, and when he sees no daylight for many days together? A few years ago I had to go in the depth of winter to the extreme north of Scotland, 500 miles nearer the polar circle than London is. I expected some dismal experiences, but in fact I was enchanted. One morning I particularly remember. I was coming in the steamer from the island of Lewis, and we entered a glorious frith with the mountains of Ross on one side and those of Skye on the other. The darkly heaving sea, over which innumerable seabirds were flitting, the turquoise sky, the mountains with their bases white with virgin snow and their summits flushed by the dawn with the loveliest rose-colour—all formed a scene as beautiful as can be imagined. On shore there were other wonders. The mountain torrents had become Gothic buildings with myriads of icy pinnacles, each shining like the rarest jewellery. Then again the air was so pure and invigorating that merely to breathe it and move in it was a luxury. Yes, winters can be very charming—but not in London.

Most people will remember the *cause célèbre* in which Mrs. Besant's children were taken from her by the Court of Appeal in Chancery, partly because she was an atheist lecturer, and partly because she had published a book on the Malthusian theory. In so doing the Court followed the famous precedent of Shelley v. Westbrooke when Lord Eldon deprived the poet of his children on the ground that he was not a fit person to have the custody of them. Now the sequel of Mrs. Besant's case is not generally known. Both her children, as soon as they grew up, left their father, returned to their mother, and are now living with her. But Mrs. Besant is no longer an atheist. She has passed through many phases of belief and unbelief, and is now—till some other creed attracts her—an ardent Theosophist.

During the whole year there has been a remarkable tendency on the part of the rich and aristocratic to provide themselves with Sunday amusements. In the summer they drove out in their four-in-hands and tandems to the Lyric Club at Barnes, to the Albany Club at Kingston, and to the Ranelagh Club at Putney. At these places they would enjoy themselves with luncheon parties, dinners, concerts, lawn tennis, and boating. The Archbishop of Canterbury has more than once inveighed against these things, but so far in vain. Now, in the winter season, many of the London clubs have Sunday evening concerts.

Of a different character is the movement to provide the poor with some kind of Sunday recreation. The Finsbury Polytechnic takes the lead in this direction. This society has the Bishop of London for its president, and is a purely Church institution. At the gymnasium belonging to the Polytechnic there is every Sunday afternoon a sacred concert, followed by a lecture, which may be, and often is, on a secular subject. When I was there the Sunday before last, Lady Frederick Cavendish, widow of the late Irish Secretary, who was murdered in Phoenix Park, was the lecturess. She gave us an account of a visit she had lately paid to Kimberley, at the Diamond Fields of South Africa. There she found her brother, the Hon. and Rev. A. Lyttelton, who had formerly been curate of Mr. Gladstone's parish, Hawarden. He was living in a mud hut with a roof of galvanised iron. At once Lady F. Cavendish, with characteristic energy, set to work to beautify his surroundings. She made a garden round the house, covered it with creepers, and decorated the interior. There she established a sort of salon where she gave weekly receptions to the ladies of Kimberley.

When Lady F. Cavendish was in South Africa the King of Matabeleland determined to learn something about England. Matabeleland is a powerful kingdom lying just off the great inland trade route into the interior. It was, therefore, of the utmost importance that we should secure the friendship of King Lobengula. Now, the Dutch had told him that they had long ago "eaten up" Queen Victoria, and that—as in the celebrated case of Mrs. Harris—there was "no sich a person." But the King wanted to be quite sure of this. Accordingly, he got hold of a young gentleman who was in his country prospecting for gold, gave him money, and sent two trusted chiefs with him to England, in order that he might have a full and faithful report. But there was a terrible difficulty in the way. The gentleman in charge of the envoys was not a Government official, and all the officials with one voice declared that envoys so introduced must not, could not, and would not be received. Sir Hercules Robinson at Capetown was first won over, and the envoys embarked in what they called "the great kraal that pushes through the water." Here they met Lady F. Cavendish, who took a warm interest in them. By incredible exertions and at the very last moment she obtained leave for the two savages to see the Queen. They were received at Windsor by a guard of 50 Lifeguards-men, they were graciously received by her Majesty and they returned to their King duly impressed and gratified. Lobengula has been our friend ever since, but officialism and etiquette had nearly marred everything.

A lyric poem, of some antiquity, but not ascribed by the critics to Milton or any of our major poets, informs us that "he who prigs what isn't his'n, when he's cotched must go to prison." A few nights ago I was invited to see a supper, at which all the guests had "prigged," and been "cotched," and gone to prison. There were about 300 of them, and he who saw them must have instantly lost all illusions about the merriness of a thief's life, and about the cleverness of thieves. Such a crew of emaciated, pale, weak, and foolish creatures they were! Not one but seemed far below the average in intellect, scarcely any of decent physique. They ate more like beasts than men. They cut the bread into wedges, and shoved it into their mouths. When they attacked their meat they glanced furtively from side to side and then bolted it hastily as if it might be snatched from them. The fact that 20,000 of such beings are annually discharged from the London prisons throws a lurid side-light on the bigness of the metropolis. Every one of the 20,000 is met on leaving prison by a delegate of the St. Giles's Mission—who were the hosts at the thieves' supper—is provided with a free breakfast, and is assisted towards living an honest life.

"What should you say if *I* was to say *Parley-vous Francais?*" says one of Mark Twain's characters to a nigger. The reply was that the nigger would bang anybody over the head who called him *dat*. It seems to me that a still worse name to call any living being is Cryptoprocta ferox. An animal bearing this appalling name has just arrived at the Zoological Gardens. In appearance it is something between a cat and a genet. It comes from Madagascar, which, like Australia, is the supreme refuge of types extinct elsewhere. The Cryptoprocta ferox is supposed to be the last representative of several groups of carnivorous mammals which flourished in what are absurdly called "geological times."

A ridiculous thing happened the other night at Mrs. Langtry's theatre. At the end of the fourth act Mr. Coghlan, who takes the part of Anthony, entirely forgot that there was another act yet to be played. Accordingly he took off his Roman clothes, put on his English clothes, and went quietly home. So in the last act there was no Antony to play to Mrs. Langtry's Cleopatra.

It is universally admitted that Mrs. Langtry is now far better looking than when she was "a professional beauty." Her features have become more refined, and yet she has not lost any of the charms of youth. Her theatre is crammed nightly, and she has to give two morning performances of "Antony and Cleopatra" every week.

Early next month Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing" is to be revived at the Lyceum. Miss Ellen Terry acts no part better than that of the vivacious Beatrice, and Mr. Irving's angular attitudes and curious pronunciation somehow suits the part of Benedick.

When the Australian team were over here I was told by one who had frequently met them that socially they were very good fellows, but rather inclined to be bores when the question of umpiring came up. It seems, however, that they were partly to be excused, if to bore is ever excusable. At the meeting of county secretaries, held this week at Lord's, Mr. Henry Perkins, the secretary of the Marylebone Cricket Club, roundly told the representatives of the counties that if they could not select more capable umpires his club would no longer be responsible for them. The conclusion of his speech is thus reported:—"It had been stated in certain quarters that these complaints relative to umpiring arose solely from the Australians. This was not so. The Australians did complain after their second match, but he took no notice, but watched events, and at the conclusion of their tour again inquired their opinion. They told him that the umpiring was worse than they had ever known it before, as many wrong decisions were given for them as against them. That of course was no excuse for bad decisions. In conclusion, he urged the counties to use the greatest discretion. If they knew of three or four good umpires by all means nominate them. On the other hand, if they knew only one, there was no need to appoint two."

PARISIAN GOSSIP.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, December 5, 1890.

The attitude of Cardinal Lavigerie, who stoutly maintains his statement, made at Marseilles, that "the Church" is independent of civil Governments, and may accept any form established by the majority of the people of a country, is still being angrily and anxiously discussed in France. The fiery Bishop of Angers, and others, who regard this doctrine of the right of a people to decide its form of government as an insult to the Bible and the monarchical principle, are as violent as they were a week ago, in their denunciation of the doctrine thus set forth, and a deputation of clergymen from various dioceses has gone to Rome to endeavour to obtain an authoritative condemnation thereof from the Pope, who is believed to agree with the Cardinal, though regretting the plenitude of his admission.

Meantime the Chamber is still working hard over the Budget, every proposition brought forward for the imposition of new taxes giving rise to violent opposition. It is now proposed to abrogate the monopoly accorded to the Allumette Company, the State taking the business of match-making into its own hands; also to reduce the rate of interest paid by the savings bank to its customers. A committee is named for the study of the probable effects of the M'Kinley Bill on French Industry. Much attention is also being given in the Chamber to the supply of wholesome water, not merely in barracks, where impure water has worked such deadly mischief, but in hospitals and in the domestic life of the country.

The return of Count de Bismarck to this city, where it has transpired that he spent several days in the strictest privacy, a couple of months ago, is exciting much curiosity, and is giving rise to numerous explanations, one of which is to the effect that he has come to induce the French Government to take the lead in obtaining the formation of a European League in opposition to the exclusivism of the new American tariff; another theory is that the Count is in treaty with an important book firm of this city for the publication of his father's memoirs; while a third asserts that the ex-Chancellor's health demands a mild wintering place, and that his son is charged to sound the French Cabinet in regard to a stay of his sire on the Riviera, to which genial region lovers of warmth are already flocking from the North.

Here, the return of cold, with its sufferings and dangers for the poor, is actively stimulating the efforts of the many admirable organisations through which the charitably disposed of both sexes are busy with the work of succouring the distress to which the efforts of the administration are admittedly incompetent to minister. Contributions in aid of the many charities have been collected in the principal churches, where the special ecclesiastical activities of the season have been ushered in by the splendid service at Notre Dame, where the Cardinal Archbishop of Paris has just presided at the first of the Advent Sermons, with magnificent music and a wonderful procession of the parish priests of the capital, superiors of seminaries, and delegates of religious orders, all wearing their robes and various adjustments, and bearing aloft lighted tapers. The service of "The Forty Hours" in the English Passionist fane was equally splendid. The beautiful church was most artistically decorated, the music and singing marvellously fine, and the concluding procession, with the tasteful illuminations bringing into picturesque relief, the superb costumes of the officiating "Fathers," formed a function to be remembered by those who witnessed it, contrasting so strongly with the cold simplicity of the Protestant forms of worship as to explain, for the most part, the rapid return of so many worshippers to the artistically fascinating services of the Roman Church. The Pope, greatly encouraged in his anticipations of a coming revival of the ecclesiastical sway of other days, has been induced by the Bishop of Grenoble and a body of Catholic notabilities who share the Papal illusions, to found a new Order of Knighthood, to be called "The Servants of St. Peter," with the dignities of Knight, Commander, and Grand Cross, to be bestowed on those who render important services to the Church of Rome.

It is again asserted that the visit of the Princess Helen of Orleans to the Pope was made in the hope of obtaining the Papal sanction to her marriage with the enamoured Heir presumptive to the British Crown, a project of which His Holiness is believed to have convinced the charming and accomplished young Princess of the impossibility. The Pope is also believed to be placed in a difficult position by the desire of the young Duke of Aosta to obtain his sanction for the projected marriage between himself and his cousin and mother-in-law, the widowed Duchess of Aosta, which is regarded as being the motive of Prince Napoleon's present visit to Rome.

A deputation of nine persons represented M. Carnot at the funeral of the late King of Holland, which took place yesterday at the Hague, with the utmost splendour of which an interment is susceptible. At the same hour, an impressive service in memory of the late King took place in the Protestant Church of the Oratory, in this city, got up by the Dutch colony here resident, and attended by representatives of all the Foreign Embassies, and a considerable gathering of official and fashionable sympathisers.

The Queen-Regent has decided that the child Queen shall wear white in mourning for the king, her father. This dress is in accordance with an ancient custom of the country, and also with the usual habits of the young Princess Wilhelmina, who has always worn white dresses of embroidered muslin, lace, or woollen stuff. In the house she wears her hair loose over her shoulders, and round her neck a necklace of pearls or of amber beads and turquoises. As a sign of deep mourning, the little Queen will wear, instead of Brussels lace or guipure at the neck and sleeves of her dress, frills of batiste, in the style of portraits of children by Velasquez, or pleats of crepe lisse. Out of doors, instead of her usual pelisse of blue fox fur lined with cloth or velvet, she will wear a pelisse of black velvet embroidered with black beads and trimmed with bear or black fox fur. On State occasions the young Sovereign will wear a veil of old white lace; and when out driving will wear a large round hat of the Louis XIII. shape, in seal dyed black.

The nine-year-old heiress to the Crown of the Netherlands is said by those about her to be possessed of high intelligence and a will of remarkable power. She has an old-time conviction of the sacredness of the royal power as a divine institution, and of the paramount and unquestionable rights of the royal will. Since she has been able to stand alone, to walk, and to talk, she has fully convinced all about her of the formidable quality of the personality of their future ruler, whose manners, from her earliest childhood, spontaneously assumed a royal dignity most striking in one so young. In her fifth year she one day remarked, "I do not approve the manner in which the guard present arms to me when I pass;" and added, after a pause during which she had evidently been reflecting on the subject, "I shall change all that." When six years old, on walking out with her French governess, the latter stopped to speak with someone whom she knew. On resuming their walk, the little Princess drew herself up, and looking full at her governess, thus addressed her:—"Mademoiselle! when you are in attendance upon me, you will not stop unless I stop, nor speak unless I have spoken. If I stop, you will stop; and if I speak to anyone you will be at liberty to speak, but not until I have spoken."

Queen Emma has brought up her daughter with great care, firmness, and tact; and if, when Queen Wilhelmine has ascended the throne she manages to retain it, she will owe her success to the influence of the constitutional convictions inculcated by her royal mother.

An official dinner at the Elysée, and another official banquet at the British Embassy, are the first symptoms of the approaching hospitalities of the coming season. Preparations for the celebration of Christmas and the New Year are beginning to be visible in the shops; and Madame Carnot's benevolent fête will be shared by 300 poor mothers of this capital and their numerous children.

The sudden and violent cold from which all but skaters have been suffering has caused immense satisfaction to the lovers of the steel appliances, that enables those who can use them to outshine one another in the agility and complexity of their radiating on the ice. The ponds in the outskirts of Paris have been crowded with skaters, as many as 2000 having been counted on a single day upon some of the largest; but the most animated has been, as usual, the favourite "lake" in the Bois de Boulogne, the management of which is in the hands of a wealthy committee, who hold it on lease, have built a handsome refectory on the margin, and employ a staff of clever and obliging waiters wearing the livery of the committee. The "lake" is open to its fashionable frequenters from 9 a.m.; and a legion of elegantly-attired visitors, including Northern royalties (if any happen to be in Paris), the wearers of the grandest names of the French aristocracy, and the wealthy representatives of every clime, spin over the ice, generally in groups, until the signal is given from the restaurant that a warm and luxurious lunch is awaiting all comers. An hour is generally spent in discussing the excellent meal thus provided for the satisfying of appetites stimulated by the exercise on the ice, and the discussion of incidents by the groups of friends thus assembled, and who, after a pleasant rest in the elegant little parlours of the well-warmed establishment, return to the ice to make the most of its brief existence. An ornate shop, for the sale or hire of skates of all sizes and of all the favourite models, has just been opened at the entrance of the enclosure, and has been actively patronised by the zealots of the exercise. As usual, a long persistence of frost was counted upon, and all concerned were beginning to plan a night festival on the favourite pond, in emulation of the splendid ice festivities of the last Empire; and, as usual, although great blocks of ice were floating on the Seine, a thaw at once set in and put a stop to the projected *fete*. The ponds are now covered with snow, and skating is impossible, though the ice is still so solidly frozen that its friends are eagerly watching the thermometer in the hope of a return of cold weather. Lieutenant Martens, who came hither from St. Petersburg on a bicycle, having completed his tour on the steel horse through England, Scotland, and Ireland, has been spending a few days here before returning to the Northern capital in the same manner. Another Russian, Lieutenant Bernoff, who came here with the intention of propagating a taste for the literature, poetry, and music of Russia in this country (and who, for the furtherance of that end, opened, in the Rue Royale, the Franco-Russian Saloon, his invitation to which, sent by Padiewski, gave the latter access to General Seliverstoff), has just delivered a lecture on Russia which excited much interest. He speaks very highly of the Czar, whose intentions he states to be humane and progressive; but he admits the backwardness of affairs and ideas in Russia, and considers that practical reforms can only be very gradually introduced, the country not being ready for them. The lecturer concluded with a series of Molteni projections, giving views of the principal cities and of the private apartments of the Imperial family at Gatchina, his familiarity with the Court and its festivals enabling him to give details which in the present phase of affection for everything Russian were warmly received by his auditors. He stated that the murder of Seliverstoff (in whose memory a splendid funeral service is being held, to-day, in the Russian Church in the Rue Daru) could not be classed as a political crime, but was due to the personal vengeance for the part taken by the General in the sentence of death executed on his brother some years ago. The leaders of the ambitious "Union of the Friends of Russia," that has been working so zealously in the hope of inflicting all possible injury on Germany and on the British Empire in the East, are much disappointed by the refusal of the Government to give their union a legal recognition as "of public service." They have withdrawn from their leadership, and the union will probably cease to exist.

The trial of the lymph of Dr. Koch, which is now being made in two of the principal hospitals of this city, is being followed with intense interest by a group of the leading physicians and surgeons of France, all honestly desirous to make sure of the curative efficacy of the new treatment, but apparently not yet fully satisfied of its value. Dr. Koch is declared to be on the point of revealing two new discoveries of curative agencies transcending in importance all that he had previously arrived at.

A special report prepared by the Budget Committee on the causes and elements of the public debt of France, which is causing it so much anxiety at this time, shows that the wars of France have been the main producers of the fiscal liabilities of this country. Those made and paid for in the course of the Second Empire cost 2,565,000,000f.; and the war of 1870, begun by Napoleon III., cost 2,820,000,000f., exclusive of the indemnity paid to Prussia and the expenses of the Tunisian Expedition, which latter amounted to 126,000,000f.; those of the Madagascar Expedition, to 21,000,000f.; those of the Tonquin Campaign to 270,000,000f. Since the First Empire wars have cost France upwards of 16 billions of francs. The French National Debt now amounts to 30 billions of francs, the highest in the world, and nearly double that of England, which comes next to it in the list of national indebtedness. It is therefore, not surprising that France should be anxiously casting about for the means of developing the commercial possibilities to which the present mania for protection is due. Public sentiment on the subject of protection has, however, been already somewhat modified by the perception of the results to be expected from the M'Kinley Bill; and an influential union has been formed for maintaining "the entrance, duty free, of raw materials and the protection of the interests of exporters." This union is presided and espoused by a body of influential local personalities, all representing different trades and professions, who have come to perceive that protection is a knife with a double edge and "cutting both ways."

THE PASTORALISTS AND THE SHEARERS.

THE NEW SHEARING AGREEMENT.

The disagreement between the pastoralists and the shearers in Queensland is a matter of great moment to New South Wales. It will be remembered that, a little time back, the Pastoralists' Unions throughout Australasia sent delegates to conferences held in Melbourne and Sydney. The principal business at those gatherings was the drawing up of a shearing agreement to be used in New South Wales, Queensland, and the Northern districts of South Australia. The agreement is held by the pastoralists to be a fair, and indeed, so far as the men are concerned, a liberal, one. It is based on the principle of freedom of contract; but, as a matter of fact, no change was made in the price paid for the work, and repeated assurances have been given that there will be no attempt to bring about any reductions. The agreement has already been fully published in the *Herald*. Shearing has just commenced in Queensland, a little earlier than usual: and members of the Pastoralists' Union have endeavoured to put in force the new agreement. Mr. Fairburn, of Logan Downs, was the first to try and make a start. He read the agreement over to the men, but they would not sign it. At Cecil Plains station, Queensland, where the shearers also refused, work has commenced; but the men who have signed the rules are not unionists, but freelabourers. The position of the pastoralists is one of passive resistance to the Shearers' Union, whilst the shearers themselves have actually "struck" against the terms proposed to be carried out by the employers. The pastoralists of Queensland are amalgamated with those of New South Wales, but the Shearers' Union in the sister colony is independent of the one here. At the same time there is a strong bond of sympathy between the shearers in the two colonies, and it is fully recognised, in the present instance, that what obtains in the one place will have to be the rule in the other. We learn from Mr. Whiteley King, secretary of the Pastoralists' Union, that up to the present no objections have been received from the Shearers' Union in respect to the new agreement, neither have any proposals, so far as he knows, been made with the view of holding a conference between the two parties. So far as the pastoralists are concerned there appears to be a determination to hold firmly to the new agreement. Matters in Queensland are virtually at a deadlock; and nothing is likely to be done until the 27th instant, when the Queensland Pastoral Council will meet again. Shearing in New South Wales has not yet commenced, and it will probably be four or five months before any question arises here.

The objection of the men, as explained by Mr. Spence, president of the Amalgamated Shearers' Union, who is in town, is that the agreement is one-sided. Whilst there are two parties to be bound by it, one body was not consulted when it was drawn up. It is fully recognised that an attempt has been made by the Pastoralists' Union to ignore the Shearers' Union altogether. Had there been a conference between the two unions, and had an agreement been the outcome of it, the prospects of a lasting peace between employer and employed would, he thinks, have been much better. As matters now stand it is to be feared that the fight which has commenced in Queensland will be continued, when the time comes, in this colony, and a very unsettled state of things may ensue. The new shearing agreement, it is admitted, is in many respects a good one. It is much better, for instance, than the old station agreements. But it is not what has been put into the agreement that the men complain about so much as what has been left out. There is no recognition of the Shearers' Union. According to the agreement the shearers will have to tar the sheep themselves, and this they object to do, excepting in case of very bad cuts. Hitherto a "small boy" has been kept to do this work. The employer has the power to limit the number of sheep a man can do in a day. This clause is not liked. The shearers agree that a man ought to be compelled to do his work well; but they point out that the provision would prevent an expert man earning more wages than a "duffer." There is no provision that the eight-hours principle shall be observed; and to work more than eight hours a-day would be to offend against the rules of the Union. There is no rate of wages named for the "cooks;" and that is a point which the men insist should not be overlooked. The men also object to pay for the combs and cutters in the machine shops, and it is feared that the settlement of this matter may be attended with some difficulty. But the great objection of the unionists to the agreement is that it insists on "freedom of contract;" and the union men are determined—according to Mr. Spence—that they will not work with non-unionists. With a conference, the other matters might be settled very speedily; but the Shearers' Union is a strong body, and it is determined to maintain its position in this respect. This is really the cause of complaint in Queensland, and strikes will probably take place in New South Wales, on the same point, unless an amicable settlement is arrived at. There are, Mr. Spence states, about 4000 shearers in the northern colony. Whilst the men's unions are not amalgamated they "pull well together," and the New South Wales shearers intend to support their Queensland brethren by every means in their power. They recognise that a common cause is being fought, and that it only commences in Queensland by an accidental circumstance. The men there form a strong body, and Mr. Spence thinks they are likely to fight to the "bitter end." He does not see how the pastoralists can do the whole of the shearing with station hands, as there are comparatively few free labourers there. The carriers and the woolshed labourers are also strong bodies, and will side with the shearers. Thus a "big fight" is probably looming in the distance. Mr. Spence suggests that a conference should be arranged between the Shearers' Union and the Pastoralists' Union. If this were done he believes that some amicable arrangement might be come to, and the whole thing be settled in a conciliatory and satisfactory manner.

DAIRY FARMING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your leader of this morning anent dairy-farming, more especially with reference to the production of so necessary an article for consumption as butter, can but have a marked influence upon promoting a greater economical method towards its realisation. Large estate owners on the Continent of Europe milking from 250 to 500 head of cattle daily could be quite content with their dairy process in its various utilisation; but with the small farmer, owning from 20 milch cows upwards, the expense of turning the milk into butter or cheese proved in the general way a rather losing occupation. As a matter of course the more intensive the farming (stall-feeding), the greater, under ordinary good management, the profits; at the same time there cannot be the slightest doubt that where a district combines and erects a manufactory for producing butter, cheese, &c., a far greater profit will be obtained than if each farmer is his own dairyman.

As a matter of course, the small farmers residing near a centre of population, and even those who are within easy access by rail, do well to retail the milk; but in outlying districts the centralisation of the production under one roof will always prove the most economical; and not only this, the butter or cheese obtained will be always even in quality, a great desideratum.

But there is one matter in particular to which I should like to draw your attention, with respect to the production of milk, and that is the fodder. I venture to assert that much needless trouble has been taken to acclimatise the European grasses, such as lucerne, white clover, and even red clover and rye grasses; in many instances with success, in others none at all, as with the red clover. I have had many conversations with Mr. Frederick Turner, State Botanist, upon this subject, and he assures me that it is quite unnecessary to go beyond New South Wales for the necessary grasses for dairy production, and, taking the physical and climatic influences of the colony into consideration, I have not the remotest doubt that Mr. Turner's diagnosis is perfectly correct. Here we have grasses of such feeding qualities and such volumes that in their green state would be invaluable for ensilage, and doubtless owing, in some districts, to their marvellous luxuriance, would become a valuable adjunct in the shape of dry fodder. In fact, I am of opinion that the agricultural department cannot turn its attention to a more profitable end than the practical economic realisation of dairy produce.

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January 14. MEREDITH MEREDITH.

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OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7, 1890.

In the disastrous rout of the Republicans a month ago, while the Democrats achieved a substantial victory, the new "third party," which under the name of the "Farmers' Alliance" this year made its first appearance in the political arena, earned the lion's share of the honours, and in spite of its inexperience, secured more than the jackal's portion of the spoils. It has elected three governors of States, and 53 members of the National House of Representatives, and has gained control of six legislatures, three of which will elect United States senators. For a maiden effort this is an extraordinary triumph. It has been won, too, under extraordinary disadvantages. The alliance so far has been simply a "class" movement, designed to enable farmers and mechanics to make their influence plainly felt. Lawyers, bankers, liquor dealers, and all persons—the alliance bylaws say "all other persons"—of doubtful character have been refused admission to the order and are under no circumstances to be accepted as candidates for public office. The various branches of the alliance have disagreed, one with the other, in their platforms, and in different States they have gone into the campaign on issues that were almost positively conflicting. But they were everywhere united in spirit, and that spirit is one of bitter hatred against the so-called money power of the Atlantic States and of Europe, coupled with a purpose that may prove to be more or less evanescent to change the fabric of society, so that those who "do the most" shall no longer, in the words of the notorious Ingersoll, "get the least." Fifteen years ago, western farmers flamed out into a revolt of somewhat the same character, and for a while the "granger lodges" threatened to reconstruct the fundamental order of things on a socialist basis, but two or three good seasons caused the movement to languish into unimportant dimensions. Then for 10 years following the great labour uprising in 1877, agitation of this character was most active in the older States, and was mainly confined to those who work for wages. Now again, just as the relations between employer and employed have come to be, if not harmonious, at any rate so definitely settled that each side recognises certain limits beyond which it cannot hope to extend its power, the farmers of the west and south, who are much more numerous than the wage-workers, become troublesome, and have even in many districts agreed with the trades unions upon a common ticket. In order to utilise their great victory, the alliance are holding in Florida a national convention, and several hundred delegates, intoxicated with enthusiasm, are earnestly endeavouring to agree upon a common platform. Four days of debate have thus far evolved only one principle as to which there is absolute unanimity, and that is the free coinage of silver. Before the Convention adjourns, however, a full platform will certainly be adopted, based mainly upon the doctrines of Bellamy. It will include a demand for the Government ownership of railways, telegraphs, insurance companies, gas works, and water companies, the abolition of the national banks and the unlimited issue by the Government of loans to the extent of 50 per cent. of value on lands and harvested crops at 3 per cent. or less. The main purpose of the alliance is to sweep away the "Shylock" caste, and to substitute as a creditor for these usurers the Treasury of the United States. Such a project is in direct opposition to the *laissez faire* principles of the Democratic party, and it is hardly likely therefore that the present coalition between the Democrats and the alliance people will endure throughout another campaign. On the other hand, while the Republicans are not unfriendly to paternal legislation, their political machinery is in the hands of rich men, whose interests are as violently opposed to the alliance notions as are Democratic principles. It seems unavoidable, therefore, that the alliance must run an independent ticket in 1892, and a plan has already been devised to obviate the difficulties which result from the present restricted character of its membership. This is to organise, for purely political purposes, a citizens' or people's alliance, membership in which shall be open to all, without regard to calling, and to which the Farmer's Alliance members shall belong as a body.

In all probability, the alliance will be like the Grangers, a mere temporary menace to the power of the two old parties. Its members are at bottom as conservative as the rest of us, and have no idea that they are now advocating what is really rank socialism. While the movement lasts, however, it fatally disturbs the calculations of the great political leaders. But for the Alliance the Democrats would feel secure of victory in 1892, on a platform of tariff reform and with Cleveland as a leader. But while the Alliance is opposed to the M'Kinley Bill, it is not in favour of a tariff for revenue only, and it is violently against Cleveland because of that gentleman's pronounced views in favour of a single gold standard. The Republicans cling to the hope that in some way the Alliance may, by running a third candidate, enable them to slip in in 1892, and this explains the curious fact that the President, in his annual message, instead of accepting the recent election as a rebuke to his party, lauds the M'Kinley Bill, and urges the majority to lose no time in passing the yet more serious obnoxious Force Bill, which would take control of elections for federal officers out of the hands of the local authorities and place it in those of the central Government. The present Congress, it is plain, will "take no step backward," and we must patiently wait until the Congress-elect convenes, a year hence, for even the first movement towards better things.

Like the rest of the world, we are having a good deal of trouble with our finances. The downward movement in securities began last May, and has continued steadily ever since. At the outset, it was mainly caused by the return to us of our securities by European investors, not because those securities were thought to be decreasing in intrinsic value, but because this market happened to be the only one that could absorb such forms of property without precipitating a serious decline. Then, during the week after the election, the fall in prices became yet more marked, and again, a week later, the collapse of the Barings brought on a well-defined panic. There has been on the average a shrinkage of at least 25 per cent. from the May quotations, and the banks have been forced to stand shoulder to shoulder, and tide each other over dangerous crises by mutual help. Our banking is done by a number of comparatively small banks, but in troublous times all of them that are members of the Clearing-house practically become one organisation for purposes of defence by means of a very simple device. This consists of the appointment of a special committee, whose duty it is, acting for the associated banks, to raise money on so-called Clearing-house certificates—that is, paper issued on a general guarantee of all the banks—and to advance it on any paper or securities proffered by any single bank. Six per cent. is charged on these advances, but there is also a commission of $\frac{1}{4}$ of one per cent., and a further commission of $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. for each month that the advance may be renewed. It is only in great need, therefore, that the banks borrow in this way from the association; but the arrangement saves them from the ruinous necessity of flinging securities suddenly upon a falling market. The present difficulties have so far brought about very few failures, and such as have occurred show very plainly that business men had carefully prepared themselves for the coming storm. Our great trouble now is, not that we have been ourselves imprudent in any way, but that we must in some degree suffer temporarily for the errors of judgment of our European brethren. Seven hundred millions of dollars of the world's money have been locked up in the Argentine Republic, and this necessarily raises the value of cash and lowers the capitalised value of investments in all the great markets, our own included. Many of the best dividend-paying stocks are now selling at prices that yield from 6 to 8 per cent. on the investment, and while an appreciable part of this decline is undoubtedly due to dread of legislation that may be instigated by the Farmers' Alliance, a much greater part has been caused by the universal scarcity of money.

It is now inevitable that we shall soon become a silver-standard country. On the very first day of the reassembling of Congress, six different members independently offered bills for the free coinage of silver, and there is a two-thirds majority in both Houses in favour of such a measure. Some few Democrats and nearly all the Republicans from the Atlantic States are still friends of what they call "honest money"—that is, a dollar which can be sold abroad at par—but the West is a unit, regardless of party, in favour of "cheap" currency and plenty of it. In other words, the debtor states are clearly of the opinion that it will be easier to pay off their mortgages and other debts in silver dollars that are worth 80 cents, or less in gold, and they have very little sympathy for the capitalists in Wall and Threadneedle streets, upon whom the main burden of the loss will fall. Unluckily for the Republicans, President Harrison has taken the strongest possible ground against free coinage, and it is hard to see how he can consistently fail to veto such a bill. This may, therefore, perhaps limit action at the present session to a compromise bill—for instance, an increase in the amount of the Government purchases each month from 4,500,000dol. to 7,500,000dol.; but the succeeding Congress will surely adopt the more radical measure, and we shall thereafter have a currency which, though nominally based on a a double standard, will be in practice simply one of a single silver standard. The silver men are naturally in high feather, and predict that the result of the great duel between gold and silver will be the universal adoption of the white metal as a more stable, and consequently more just, measure of prices and debts than its nobler competitor. Since the passage of the last Silver Bill we have, at any rate, had abundant proof that one or the other of the two metals is almost as lively in its movements as was copper a year ago. Starting at 94 cents an ounce, a clique of speculators rushed up the price of silver to 122 cents—which is only 7 cents less than par in value for the 420-grain American dollar with gold—and then it declined to 97 cents again, and is now once more on the upward tack, having reached about 105. This gives the gamblers almost as good an opportunity as they could enjoy if, like the Argentine Republic, we had a currency of paper; but the object lesson fails to impress the American advocate of silver, who knows that if silver rises to the value in foreign exchange of gold, it will still be as plentiful as ever in our mines, while even if it were at a discount of 40 per cent., it would do well enough to pay off debts with.

The Indians in the Far West have fallen victims to a curious superstition, which the whites, without any intent to be irreverent, have been forced to name the "Messiah craze." For nearly three centuries the missionaries, both Catholic and Protestant, have laboured with the Indians, but have accomplished very meagre results. Nominally, of course, there have been many converts, but in modern times there has been not a single conspicuous case of earnest Christian life among them. Even the Indians who act as ministers to their brethren pray and preach with a curious absence of what the Methodists call "power," and it is painfully evident that their spiritual experiences are of a very superficial character. But now there has been suddenly developed among both the Christian and pagan Indians a curiously distorted copy of the true faith. This new religion has as its original starting-point a living Indian Messiah, who dwells somewhere in the foot hills of the Rocky Mountains, and who, endowed with divine power, will, it is believed, bring all the dead Indians to life again, and will put them and their living brethren again in possession of the entire continent. Originally the legend ran that this was to be accomplished simply by miracle, and without resort in any way to the fleshly arm; but more recently the leaders of the new movement have been preaching the duty of an uprising against the whites. The great "sacrament" of the new faith is a dance, the participants in which are exclusively the young braves of the tribe. It begins in silence, and the pace, in unison with the music of Indian drums, increases from a walk to the wildest form of frenzied movement. We know nothing of the mysterious virtue of this strange rite, but it has put the Indians into so palpably dangerous a frame of mind that orders have been sent to the agencies to prohibit absolutely all such ceremonies on the reservations. The Indians, however, are also forbidden to leave the reservations, and they are now protesting that they will continue the dancing at all hazards. In a lengthy report to General Miles, one of the officers at the front gives an account of a discussion with Torn Belly, who is a prominent chief, as to the merits of the dance, the point of which is, that Torn Belly insisted, that it was of as purely a religious character as the ceremonies at Christian meetings, and differed from the latter only in the fact "that the Indians did not pass the hat round" for contributions. The American journalist is, of course, making the most of this grand opportunity for the exercise of a lively fancy, and the papers are filled with long accounts of the "craze" that are absolutely without foundation. The official reports are at present rather of a narrative than of a descriptive character; but in time we shall have an interesting authentic chapter added to the history of false religions. General Miles believes that the Messiah himself is a renegade Mormon white man, partly from the fact that the prophet always receives deputations with his face veiled, and partly because such glimpses as have come to us of his inspired deliverances show familiarity both with the book of Mormon and the Christian scriptures.

At Washington, the commission appointed by the various American nations to examine plans and draft an agreement for the construction of a trunk line through the three Americas has been convened under the presidency of Mr. Blaine, and is now hard at work. This is one of the fruits of the Pan-American Congress that will certainly be harvested, and it will be a gain to the entire civilised world. We have now almost a daily mail between Europe and New York, and if there is also a daily train service (as there certainly will be before the end of the century) between New York and all the great cities of South America, all American mails will pass through this city, and the steamers to this port will have a large addition to their already plethoric freight. The crack steamers now often have 4000 sacks of mail matter, and as the American post office gives out the mail to the fastest boat leaving on any particular day, regardless of the line it belongs to, and as the payment by weight now amounts to a very considerable sum, these swift "greyhounds of the sea" are becoming careful not to leave, as they once did, all together in a bunch. The German lines have just concluded an agreement with this Government to have the mails sorted on the voyage, and letters can thus be delivered from those steamers within a few minutes after their arrival in this city, while by the English steamers there is an unavoidable delay of several hours. Probably this will in time force the latter boats to accept the proffer of the same system; but at present the mails to England can easily be sorted on the railroad journey from Queenstown to London, and so the English Post-office feels somewhat reluctant to incur the expense of ocean sorters, the advantages of which, while very great to the United States, would be very small to Great Britain.

We have also had a sort of love-feast with the officers of a Brazilian squadron of one old and one new cruiser, who have come here in state to present to the President a gold medal in grateful memory of the promptness with which we recognised the Brazilian Republic. The Brazilians have had an exceedingly "good time," and have taught us that they are far more graceful than we poor blunt Anglo-Saxons know how to be in the art of paying compliments. The ceremonies at Washington included a visit to the tomb of Washington at Mount Vernon; but the American entertainers were touched to discover, on arrival at the tomb, that it had been covered in the night with an immense bank of flowers, which bore the arms of the youngest of American Republics and a few words of affectionate homage to the founder of the oldest of her many sisters. The Brazilians are very anxious to negotiate a treaty of reciprocal commerce, and they will probably be Mr. Blaine's first formal convert. And, in order to be prepared for the protest from Europe that will certainly follow the signing of any such instrument, the President formally announces in his message that "The right of independent nations to make special reciprocal trade concessions is well established, and does not impair either the comity due to other powers or what is known as the 'favoured nation clause,' so generally found in commercial treaties. What is given to one for an adequate agreed consideration cannot be claimed by another freely." In the case of the Argentine Republic, and some other American States, these treaties, if concluded, will be also subject to the objection that they interfere with the Customs receipts which have been solemnly pledged as security for European loans, and here again the American international doctrine—which is that under no circumstances can mere debt interfere in any way with the independence of a sovereign State—will conflict with European principles. Many people believe that there is far more danger of friction between America and Europe on these two questions than on any other current matters of controversy, and the *New York Herald* never lets slip an opportunity of declaring that Blaine's ultimate purpose is to bring about a colossal war with Great Britain. The *Herald*, however, sometimes says a great deal more than it means.

This is the dullest theatrical season for years. The Kendalls have done fairly well, but they were forced to bring down the prices of seats to the ordinary rate. Mr. Willard has scored a great success as an actor with the "Middleman" at Palmer's, and the play has raised Mr. Jones very greatly in the esteem of the American public. The season of grand operas has begun, but it has awakened a very feeble degree of enthusiasm. After Christmas we may perhaps have some more novelties, but the competition of the stores makes managers chary of throwing away their good things to empty benches.

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WOMAN'S COLUMN.

GIRLS, GREEKS, AND GYMNASTICS.

By Rose De Boheme.

"Her stature tall—I hate a dumpy woman," which proves Byron to have been a cynic of discerning taste, yet there is the woman whom he would have probably agreed with us in hating still more—the gawky. You may, by dint of judicious dressing, force Miss Dumpy into something winsome and wholesome-looking; mothers and dressmakers alike wring despairing hands over that long-drawn-out awkwardness commonly known as a "gawk." For liberal stature, like many another good thing in life, requires tact of management, and your poor gawk can manage herself so little that she feels eternally in the way, and conveys her discomfort to others. Little Miss Dumpy, as a rule, looks comfortably self-satisfied; at the worst she knows she is not taking up anybody's room, and if people don't admire her very much, at least they like her pretty well, for is not she always merry and good-natured, after the manner of plumpness? But her elongated sister, with a stoop and a shuffle and a deprecating "I-couldn't-help-it" air, painfully suggests a hedgehog on the look-out; and no wonder, poor thing, for is not her physique a chronic grievance against humanity? She cannot help it, 'tis true, but somebody else could.

Yes, somebody else could; or perhaps, to be strictly exact, we should say that a good many people are responsible who gave never a thought to her existence, physical or moral. Her one-sided development, just like little Dumpy's stunted growth, is the fault, not of mother or nurse, but of generations of mothers and nurses, who preferred narrowness to nature and sentiment to sense. Her languid limbs and languid energies are the offspring of fashion and prejudice, and it will take decades, if not centuries, to undo the evil wrought during decades if not centuries. Tradition has handed down to us a female ideal, a delicate bundle of nerves and fads, of freaks and fears, of elegant faintness and ladylike languor; and life brings us face to face with a female reality, unfit for life's ordeals, unfit for womanhood's ordeal, and afflicted with an wherless diseases bearing high-sounding names which might all be included under one heading: Nature's Revenge.

And, really, when you think of it, Dame Nature is a terribly spiteful "old cat." Nobody would suspect the mother of a large family of sparing time for such petty doings. The way in which she pays children out for parental folly, bestowing flat chests as a reminder that mamma tight-laced, or sprawling feet as a legacy from port-gouty grandpapa, crooked backs, sickly complexions, useless muscles, over-active nerves, all as retaliation for ancestral vice or folly—well, if you or I were one-quarter as vindictive we should be "dropped" by every self-respecting member of polite society. But that is where Nature has the pull over us: we cannot ignore her; and having to reckon permanently with the old lady and her mean ways it behoves us to study her tactics and fight her on her own ground, i.e., don't offend her in the present and let the children of the future have fair play.

For the children of the present have undoubtedly a bone to pick with her—a very large bone, I thought, as I watched some of them the other day at a gymnastic lesson. Not that these girls—it was a girls' class—were such as a mother would blush to own, quite the contrary. There were fair, sweet faces to be noted in their groups, bright eyes, long silken plaits, fluffy curls, red lips curving with merriment as in their pretty costumes they wielded clubs, climbed ladders, and swung round on whirling ropes, to the imminent danger of my head. They were unmistakeably happy and apparently healthy, but—but—that pretty page-like costume, most becoming of all to a well-modelled figure, is a merciless betrayer of shortcomings. And despite gymnastic training, the shortcomings are there, so numerous, so obvious, so terrible in their prophecies, that one wonders what is to be the end of a race the future mothers of which have such an inheritance of woe to pass on. A few months and years of physical culture cannot undo the physical neglect of generations; and as my eye roved from the unhealthy complexion of one bright face to the sharp contour of another, from this rounded back and contracted chest to that attenuated limb, the weary ghost of the coming woman seemed to overshadow the lithe form of the happy girl, and I understood with a sudden pang why the med cal brass plate is so exceptionally common in Sydney.

"Yes, she's a fine-grown girl," said a mother, whose bright, well-developed lass I had been admiring, "but she's the only strong one I have, and you see she has'nt begun her hard studies yet; they all lay up with the long hours and the examinations—at least, I say it's the study, and their father says it's the stays; perhaps we're both right, but what's to be done? You can't let your children lag behind, and you can't dress them like guys. My girl likes this dress better than any, but she'd be mobbed in the street if she went out in it; though they all do in America, I'm told?"

"Not quite all," I answered demurely, with a vision of a New York belle floating before me; but as I answered I studied my new friend's appearance. Just so. Parched dingy skin, narrow chest, figure accustomed to sit "all of a heap," and on the face that peculiar dragged and dejected look so commonly seen among our womenfolk. Was it stays or study? Could this woman's children possibly have the stamina needed to dispense with the first and face the second? As I looked at the fair laxen daughter my eyes filled; for she must not lag behind the rest, and she must dress like the rest—and she must also suffer like the rest. But it is not the stays or the study!

Greeks for the South Sea Greece! A popular modern historian whose activity of imagination is only equalled by his capacity for administering butter, gave us years ago an overdose of the unguent, from which we have not yet recovered. A Greek land, this of yours, he told us unctuously, with a Greek climate,—and Greek forms and faces to grace it. We were naturally far too much pleased with our classic selves to suspect the great historian of sarcasm: on the contrary, we straightway set to work to hunt up this Greek type in our midst, and by way of developing it our women have assiduously cultivated Greek robes and Greek coiffures; but the type still remains hidden. It is there no doubt; we have a great man's word for the fact—there, but latent, and it is evident that we must use some more active means to call it forth. For the present, will you kindly imagine your sensations at sight of an average larrikin or larrikiness perpetuated in marble on a pedestal? If you object that the larrikin is not your national representative, I retort that he is the weak spot whereby the strength of the bridge is proverbially tested, and that so long as he remains a pronounced national feature he remains a national type of misapplied nerve and muscle. The type is susceptible of improvement.

But how did the Greeks do it? we ask. We own to their climate, and we are willing to imitate them in the matter of beautiful surroundings; but how are we to be born beautiful and statuesque? Well, who says the Greeks were originally born so? Who shall prove to us that they never, like Topsy, "growed" into the loveliness of form we admire and envy? Surroundings helped them, doubtless; artistic statuary, beauteous myth, sympathy with the soul of nature, the general harmony of organic life finding echo in your spirit, all these, combined with healthy open-air pursuits, contribute to beauty of face and form; but not these alone. Without her Olympic games Greece would never have been able to furnish her sculptors with those models of manhood and womanhood which art has handed down to the despairing admiration of degenerate posterity. It is a trite truth that the extraordinary beauty of ancient Greek statuary arises from the perfect development of muscle and sinew that underlies the perfect contour of simulated flesh, but do we all recognise the value of that truth? Do we remember the study of health laws, the honest consideration of bodily requirements, the nature-culture, as distinct from brain-culture, which gave to the sculptor of old his model; in a word, do we hold a beautiful body to be synonymous with a sound body in its highest development? The "beauty-of-decay" school has had its day, and lost. But have we not still a tendency to look upon "rude" health as somewhat vulgar, especially for women, and are we not disposed to pet and pamper female fragility, forgetting that it is a curse not only to the owner thereof but to the nation at large? True that our modern modesty and morality would not consent to the sight of lads and lasses running and wrestling in public—though a cynic might draw unfavourable comparisons between our hole-and-corner morals and the sans pudeur et sans reproche ways of Greece—but the same end can be attained by less conspicuous means; and every true woman of to-day will tell you that the noble, large-hearted life after which she strives would be easier to compass if over-squeamish ancestresses had not handicapped her with an undue share of nerves and dilemmas.

Grave objections? I should think so. I know them all by heart! Haven't they been dinned into our ears by timid grandmammas, strait-laced schoolmistresses, matchmaking mothers, sentimentalists, traditionists, poohpoohists, till we are deaf and blind and muddled with the reiterated assertion, which is not argument? We shall over-strain the girl's muscles and cripple them for life; we shall make them masculine in deportment, and consequently in mind; we shall encourage tastes and habits which necessitate indelicacy in clothing—this with an indignant glance at the gymnastic tunic and knickerbockers; we shall rob them of that charm of helpless dependence which is so powerful in the matrimonial market; we shall make them restless, ambitious, and combative; we shall teach them to wander from their home allegiance; above all—this from the masculine camp—we shall unfit them for their proper sphere. As a rule be it observed, the male bird who crows loudest about woman's proper sphere is unable to manage his own satisfactorily, but let that pass; in this, as indeed in most cases, it is woman who is woman's worst enemy.

Of course it is possible to overstrain girls' muscles as well as their brains, and if anybody offers to train your daughter into an acrobat or a contortionist, you will be wise to decline; but you would, I imagine, be equally averse to seeing your pet son coached as a prize-fighter? As for the risks involved in ordinary athletic exercises, do you really believe them to equal the risk implied in leaving divers muscles unused till they are well-nigh paralysed? Do you assert —— but some subjects are only suited to a medical journal, and this article is for family reading; if you really want to argue out the matter just go and have a quiet talk in your doctor's consulting-room, and he will tell you that the appalling proportion of female ill-health in this sunny, wholesome land is mainly due to deliberate defiance of Nature's laws, and that chief among the offences stands that neglect of specialised muscular training which you uphold.

The question of costume is, I admit, more serious, for we have the whole army of milliners and dressmakers arrayed before us, flaunting that standard of delicacy which is really the only thing we cannot concede to them; convenience and tradition and even taste they may plead if they like, we can even go so far as to leave them the stays for the present; for, say what you will, it is absurd to attempt to deprive women of customary supports till you have strengthened them out of all need of support, and this is the work of more than one generation. But when it comes to delicacy. . . . H'm! Oh, don't suppose I should like to see your Mathilda walking down the block in her "gym" dress; she might get mobbed, and mobbing is not pleasant or modest. But if you base your objection to the proceeding on the score of delicacy, how was it that you did not faint with shame when you took her to the theatre last night? Are bare vertebræ and forearms so very much more modest than neatly covered ancles? I am quite aware that Diana in her classic costume would be refused admittance into a decent ballroom, but I cannot for the life of me see why Diana, running swiftly with a healthy colour in her rounded cheek, should be less estimable than little Miss Aphrodite waltzing the pearl powder off her shoulders.

Yes, the costume question is a more serious one than people suppose. It is around it that the stiffest fighting will be seen, and it will be only settled when we have routed the aforementioned army by proclaiming aloud the creed that female modesty lies deeper than clothes. There are already evidences of the coming change; our equestriennes no longer wear graceful skirts that imperil their lives; our boating lasses don rowing attire that gives the chest-muscles full play; French sportswomen think it no shame to be seen in kilt and gaiters, or in tunic and knickerbocker; when our women have learned alike to wear flowing draperies with graceful ease, and to bestir themselves in kirtle and buskin when energy is required, then, and perhaps only then, shall we know the fulness of physical life and health. As it is—and the confession is humbling enough—we are very much what our tailors and dress-makers make us.

But, but, but, gasps the maddened camp of adversaries, do you not see what you are doing? Your pretence of physical culture and freedom in dress only veils a still more deplorable laxity; give women muscular development, license her to dress as she pleases, and you know well enough what follows: public life, public ambition, determined independence, professional careers, social and religious heresies, a contempt for her sphere, why the mischief is already brewing, and if we don't take care there will soon be no women whose business it is to get married, and then—

May we only live to see that day! The day when, not the business parchment of marriage, but the aloe flower of love, shall be a noble woman's badge of honour; the day on which a sordid union shall be looked upon as sacrilege, and the mystery of life protected by sanctity of heart. Heresy! Was there ever deadlier heresy than that which proclaims it a woman's duty to dispose of herself for life at the best price she can command? Her sphere! Do you know what it is, you who prate thereof so glibly? Do you know that her sphere is love; that she was born to cherish as well as to be cherished, to give as well as to receive; to bear, guard, rear, and develop children in an atmosphere of love, to be eternally sending out loverays from her great heart, whereby the blossoms of our nature shall expand and fructify. And you expect her to accomplish this by making marriage her "business!" Yet her business, ay and her chief business it must be so long as you trammel and fetter her—so long as you proclaim the realm of the hearth to be her duty limit rather than her joy-boundary. For so long as you close avenues of occupation to her, or stunt her capacities for occupation, so long do you force her to sell herself into bondage, and who shall dare to blame her? The woman who lacks bread and cannot earn it must win it; and many another who is not short of food, sells herself out of pure desœuvrement and the lack of self-respect which life-weariness brings. And so the matrimonial mart continues to thrive, and with it attendant evils that cry aloud to the very heavens for justice.

And yet you fear and demur and tremble; you think that physical and mental development will cramp a woman's heart; you imagine that active life abroad may unfit her for active home-life; that public success will be dearer to her than the realisation of those hopes that are secretly pulsating at her heart's sweetest strings; that the enriched life-blood pulsing through her veins will never glow with human emotions; that her clear, powerful, magnetic brain will never harbour dreams of a strong heart beating in unison, and little children gathering round the knee; that she will abandon her glorious love-sphere to the incapable little sister whom you have cramped and trammelled into chronic hysteria; that she who is best qualified for maternity will refuse its joys and sorrows.

The Greeks knew better! The grand old Greeks who put their faith in nature and gave her full play, smiling calmly as they saw the harmony around steal into human life and attune it to the universal choir. Was it by stunting and narrowing down her melodies to their own notation that they hoped to produce grander cords?

The Greeks knew better! They feared not death, yet they valued life as a great and noble boon, and, reverencing in woman the life-treasurer, they did their best to aid her self-development, to perfect her in her task of linking the generations throughout all time. With no thought but the good of the race they bid her throw down barriers and overleap obstacles, knowing that her woman's heart would enlarge with her woman's frame, trusting to nature's own talisman for the preservation of sex.

And they have embodied that trust in one of their fairest legends. Atalanta, fleetest sportswoman, and fleetest runner in all Greece, lost the race and thereby broke her vow of celibacy—lost because she swerved aside to seize the love-apple.

NEW MUSIC.

We have received a copy of an anthem, by the Rev. Dr Ellis, "Behold! A Virgin shall Conceive and bear a Son." It is a composition of merit. Although simple in character, the anthem is telling in effect, and it can be deservedly commended to choirs and choral bodies possessing moderate capabilities. The composition contains a short but pleasing duet for soprano and contralto.

The "Eltham" waltz, by J. C. de S. Mann, which has been forwarded to us, is a pleasing composition, but, like most of the present-day waltz music, it contains nothing that is striking or novel.

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A DAY WITH THE DUCKS.

(By the Spectre.)

"We lost our eldest boy six weeks ago. He was 10 years old. Just as he was beginning to get useful too."

Thus in short jerky sentences spoke the boundary rider's wife. We said nothing, but sat down quietly in the little dark mud room, and expressed mute sympathy with the woman. She was still young, and might once have been called handsome, but now she had a wizened and dried-up look on her face, due perhaps to the heat and dryness of the climate. Her thin lips curved as she spoke, making a kind of half-sneer which was not pleasant to look upon. So I glanced round the room, whilst the woman sat on the hard wooden sofa, with her hands under her white apron.

There were one or two portraits of high Catholic dignitaries on the wall, and in strange contrast to these was a pair of fearful and wonderful German pictures. They belong, I believe, to a style of art which is now fortunately extinct, and relics of which are only to be found in such out-of-the-way places as this boundary rider's hut. The groundwork of the structure was a highly coloured chromo-lithograph of a female party clad in raiment of gorgeous hues. On top of this chromo was stuck a mass of gold and silver tinsel, cut into various shapes, and placed wherever extra ornamentation, either of dress or figure, seemed desirable. The whole was framed with a gilt border, and underneath was written in gothic characters "Gute nacht," with its English equivalent, good night. To the woman on the sofa there was nothing incongruous in this gorgeous combination. She had probably been accustomed to it all her life, and thought it very fine and a great ornament to the room. The canvas-lined walls were papered, from roof to ceiling, with cuttings from the illustrated journals, and when pictures had run out fashion-plates had been used. This gave the place somewhat the appearance of a dressmaker's room, but one missed the litter of cuttings and scraps and thread ends needed to make the resemblance complete.

Outside, through the open door, was the lake, a large sheet of water, made by damming up the lower end of the valley, through which, in the early days, ran a small intermittent creek. Usually the creek, after the manner of its kind in this country, preferred not to run. It liked better to exist merely as a chain of waterholes, for then it could rest quietly and enjoy its ease. The fatigue of continually running and babbling, in the fashion of the brook famed by Tennyson, must be enormous. Therefore it is no wonder that, in this hot climate, Australian brooks prefer to rest and take it easy. But now all control of the matter has been taken away from the creek, and it must perforce expand into a fine lake, whether it like the change or no.

The woman, dried up and weary, and hot with the heat of the kitchen on that broiling summer day, ran on about her child, the one that was gone. There was a little rectangular enclosure a few hundred yards away, made with a plain fence of pine logs, and here we knew that the boy, with bush simplicity, had been interred. For there is no talk of consecrated ground in these out-of-the-way parts. It would be at least a couple of days' journey to reach a cemetery, and besides, no one has the time to spare for the journey. So the boy was buried, with but scant ceremony, and just as he was beginning to be useful too.

We had but little time to listen to the woman's lamentations, and we ate in silence the light lunch with which she provided us. It was the best she could do, poor soul, and we were not, as might be supposed by the casual reader of these lines, ungrateful for her kindness. But the fact was that there were ducks on the lake outside, and we wanted to get at them. Ducks in plenty of all kinds, the large musk duck with his unsavoury odour, the slippery and fast-disappearing diver, the wild and toothsome black duck, not to mention teal and snipe, and many other feathered varieties. So we looked longingly at the idle guns in the corner, and made haste with our spare repast. Even the boiling-hot tea, which is an inevitable accompaniment of every meal in the bush was disposed of as quickly as our scalded throats would allow. Then we loaded up, and went forth into the light and glare of an Australian midday. The lagoon, which had been basking idly and quietly in the heat of the sun, rose at our approach. The warning that there was an enemy about went forth to its uttermost ends, even far away up the shallow branches, where the great gum trees stand up to their waists in water. The maternal ducks, with their offspring, prepared to fly. The paternal ducks were already on the wing, swinging round and round in great circles, and waiting to see whether the intruder meant mischief or no. The birds that remained held a conference in the centre of the lake, and decided that it was safer to stay where they were, out of range. This because they were wary birds, and had often been shot over. They knew there was no boat available, and they did not consider it likely that their enemy—man—would wade in after them. On the other hand, if they rose up and flew, they would probably be shot on the wing, and they had seen many of their brethren fail in this way. So the ducks remained in safety in the centre of the waters, and we walked along the dam and idly swore at the birds, whose natural instinct was a match for all our cunning, backed up as it was by guns of a very superior make. The divers were the only birds which ventured near the shore, because they knew that they were safe against any injury from us. They would float calmy on the water, and watch us pull the trigger. Then, before the shot could ever reach them, they would dive a fathom deep and be out of harm's way. This is a provoking habit which the divers have, and hence it is of no use attempting to shoot them.

The iguanas waddled away from under our feet as we walked along the bank, not in any hurry, but slowly and with dignity, as they usually do in this land of ours. For here the iguana is a protected and much favoured beast; he is a natural enemy of the rabbit, and the rabbit is a natural enemy of man. So the iguana is looked upon with tolerance, and even encouraged to surfeit himself daily with young rabbits. Therefore, he grows fat and lazy, and cares little about sport in the true sense of the word. The charms of the chase have no attraction for this speckled monster. He finds his food ready for him; docile and waiting to be killed, tender, succulent, and easy of digestion. He does not often climb trees now, but only runs a few feet up when alarmed, and waits till the stranger has passed. When he does climb a tree it is after some more dainty morsel than even a young rabbit. Watching as we walked along, we saw an iguana stealthily ascending a dead box tree, and around his head, vigorously pecking and shrieking, flew a dozen of dusky brown birds. The iguana, doubtless, wanted a specially nice dinner, fit for the occasion. He had made up his mind to have a meal of young apostle birds, and the older apostles naturally objected. The iguana knew that there was a nest somewhere above, else why this shrieking and pecking. The twelve apostles were really most unreasonable in their proceedings. They earn their sanctimonious name because of their habit of always flying about in parties of 12, but they decidedly do not display a resignation worthy of the title. The progress of the iguana up the tree was laborious and slow, for he was certainly not assisted by the birds. His huge black and yellow back writhed as he flattened himself against the bark, and his little sleepy head turned from side to side as he endeavoured to avoid the rude attacks of the indignant apostles. An iguana, however, is not to be lightly turned from his purpose, nor is he easily killed, as I found out once to my cost. I shot one—it was years and years ago, long before anybody ever dreamt of protecting the beast as the natural enemy of the rabbit. I killed him as I thought, with a whole charge of No. 4 shot, and early in the morning left him lying under a tree until I should return at nightfall. He was still there and apparently still dead at eventide, but as soon as I got him home he woke up and bit viciously, so that he had to be killed over again. Guided by this experience I was not surprised to find that the iguana at last reached the nest, and disregarding the protests of the apostle birds, made a succulent meal off the young and tender chicks which he found there.

At last we got a chance at the ducks. They crowded up one of the long, shallow arms of the lagoon, which ran back into the woodlands for the distance of half a mile or so. There was water in these depressions, although in times of drought they would be perfectly dry, as was evident from the huge trees which stood, as it were, up to their ancles in water, and shook their long gaunt arms in impotent rage at the dampness which surrounded them. I have often thought that it must be most disagreeable for trees to be placed in this amphibious position. Imagine how you would feel if you were compelled to stand all day with your feet just covered with water, without the power to stir an inch from your post. The trees protest in the only way they can—by dying if they are kept too long submerged; but this does not help matters much, for the long whitened trunks and the withered leafless branches still rest there, condemned to serve as monuments of their former greatness. These dead trees, however, are not without their uses. They form very convenient sheltering-places for the water fowl, and among the branches of one which had half fallen we found a whole covey of ducks. The ducks had miscalculated the range, but we did not fall into the same error. They thought they were well out of reach of gunshot, and therefore laughed sarcastically as we took aim. Two of them ceased laughing for ever after that fatal shot, and the rest did not remain to discuss the question further. The ducks were certainly shot, and now the question arose how to get them. To parody Mrs. Glasse's famous phrase and apply it to birds instead of hares, you must first shoot your duck and then retrieve him. It was all in vain that we stood on the bank and whistled for wind. The dead ducks declined to budge, but lay calmly floating, heads down, amid the sheltering branches. We had no dogs, and so it was decided that one of us should go in after them. The lot fell to my companion, who was stout and elderly, but none the less courageous. "I'm not afraid of the mud," he said bravely, "and the water's quite shallow, so I'll just take off my trousers and wade in." Alas for the fallacy of human predictions. He did wade in, clad only in his shirt, and rejoicingly proceeded towards the ducks. Then there was a muffled shriek, which might, only I am not certain about the point, have been a curse. Then he, the man in the shirt, disappeared from view, shirt and all. It might have been an old waterhole, or a shaft dug by some adventurous prospector, but whatever it was my friend disappeared, shirt and all. There was nothing for it but to fish him out and to hang him up, metaphorically speaking, on the fence to dry. I got the ducks, though, for I took the precaution of going after them in a state of nature. All this was very idle and very frivolous, but still it was amusing, even if it led to no practical result. The ducks, our only trophies of the day's sport, we gave to the woman at the hut, who obligingly pointed out the part of the paddock, about a mile away, whither our horses had wandered. "If Tommy had been here, he might have helped yer catch them. He was just beginning to get useful, he was."

As we drove away, the sun shone and glistened on the new wood of the little pine fence, within which there was neither cross nor monument. There was only the warm musical air of the bush all around, with its endless hum of insect life. A rabbit coolly emerged from his burrow, and commenced to feed on the grass at the foot of the grave, as if knowing that he would not be disturbed there, and the woman, leaning feebly against the doorway, placed her apron over her eyes, and muttered something between her sobs. The only words I could distinguish were "useful too."

FUGITIVE NOTES.

People who take an interest in the question of the appointment of a city organist to play upon our big "kist o' whustles" at the Town Hall—as who does not, indeed?—are beginning to remember that it is nearly time a decision was about being come to in that matter. No one absolutely envies the persons who have to make that decision, but that is neither here nor there. The facts are that we have the biggest organ in the world with no one to play on it, and that the application list closed on the last day of November last. That is over a month and a-half ago, and we are now well on into the new year. We have had time to receive the applications lodged in London, and for all I know the city authorities have so received them. All that remains to be done is the hardest and most delicate part of the work, but that is the very part in which the public has most concern. I don't know if it has been absolutely decided as to who the gentlemen are with whom the responsibility of a final decision definitely rests. For the peace of mind of those concerned one trusts that the tribunal will not resolve itself into one individual. "In the multitude of counsellors there is safety"—not wisdom, necessarily; and where the responsibility is shared no one person will be expected to receive the full weight of unavoidable obloquy on his own devoted head. How would it do to submit the question of the selection of a city organist to a plebiscite of the citizens? That method would not result in the most intelligent decision, of course, since seven-tenths of the population hardly know enough of the matter to warrant them in sitting in judgment. But it would certainly be a popular one. There is another alternative. The city authorities might select a committee of musicians and University and professional men to weigh the merits of the approved candidates, and then make a selection. There would be some guarantee of intelligent choice in the device, but the members of the committee would have to make up their minds to abide by the consequences. Musicians are kittle cattle to deal with.

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Does anybody profess to understand the real merits of the Goulburn cathedral dispute, or the precise lines on which that eccentric campaign is being conducted between Dr. Thomas and Captain Rossi? If so, in the words of the old formula—whether or not, in fact—let him be for ever silent. Nobody wants to hear the explanation, for as a matter of fact most people who troubled their heads about it are tired of the whole business. All we care to know is that there is a fine cathedral in Goulburn which is being put to rather ignoble uses owing to a dispute among the church authorities, and that the dispute and the ignoble uses have been going on at intervals for the last four years because neither side will give in, and no basis of compromise can be arrived at. It is all very pitiful. Goulburn is divided into two camps over the question, as the quarrels of the Montagues and Capulets divided old Verona. But these rival factions did not quarrel over a place of worship, and so their little difference was worked up in certain elements of acerbity, not to say cordiality, with which the Goulburn disputants appear to be well supplied. Whether the interests of religion or the decencies of social life are well served or not by such proceedings is, of course, a question on which each of us is competent to form his own judgment. As to whether the difference is becoming a very charitable or Christian-like spirit among the good burgesses of the pretty southern town, there is no room, as the Grand Inquisitor says in "The Gondoliers," for "any probable possible shadow of doubt, any earthly doubt whatever." One word of caution may be given to the inquisitive person who may have an ambition to inquire for himself into the merits of the case. Don't do it; and above all, don't consult a Goulburn resident. For, if you give him the slightest encouragement, he will attend your comings in and your goings out with particulars, and wait upon your sleeping and waking with bewildering details, and bombard you at near and long range with facts and theories of his own upon the subject, until you will begin to wish that your otherwise agreeable Goulburn acquaintance had been left behind by the train, or that his ancestors had never been born. I have tried it, and I know.

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Everybody is aware that negotiations for the reclamation of some of the bays like Careening Cove and Neutral Bay on the north side of the harbour, have been going on for some years now. So has the talk about the bridge, and other trifles. Promises from the departments or persons in authority don't go for much in such cases; but there really were circumstances in connection with these proposed reclamations that led a sanguine person here and there to believe that something or other might be done. For instance, there was the standing danger to the health of those who lived in the vicinity of these bays. Anyone looking at the further shore line from, say, the Botanic Gardens, will hardly fail to be struck by the number of pretty bays that curve inwards and seem to run far up among the trees. From the distance they look charming retreats and delightfully inviting places of residence. But just let anyone confidingly take ship across there, engage at high tide a house with a water view or a water frontage, move his goods and chattels in, and prepare to roost under his own vine and fig tree in the society of a comfortable pipe in the peaceful evening. The tide will probably take it into its head to flow out then. In a couple of hours, instead of a watery surface, there will be nothing but a black expanse of oozy mud, and before you know fairly where you are the air will be filled with flying and creeping odours, and life will be unendurable by reason of the terrific smells that overcome man and beast. Typhoid follows sometimes, and occasionally something still more serious. To make matters worse, the drainage of the surrounding slopes is directed on to that mud flat. It was after enduring all this for many years that the survivors began to timidly propose that the Government should fill in these inlets down to low-water mark, as was done in the case of Blackwattle Swamp, and instead of a plague-spot transform the heads of these bays into pleasant parks like that of Wentworth or at Double Bay. The petitioners were encouraged, and for years past they have been led to hope, that something in the desired direction might be done. And now the Minister for Works tells us that the delay which has been the subject of some unstinted complaints is due, not to the dilatoriness of the officials, but to the rapacity of landholders in the vicinity, who will not part with their property without exorbitant compensation. There are always two sides to a question of this kind, and nobody would seriously ask the people who own the land in these places to give up their rights without a fair return. But in a case like this is the right of the many or the few paramount? And should a question of compensation be allowed to stand in the way of the public health? Is there no means of bringing the necessary pressure to bear in such a contingency as these facts seem to disclose? Meanwhile, the Minister speaks of reducing the plans of the proposed reclamations, and going on with the work on a smaller scale.

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There is talk once more of "pushes," and the word is in a fair way to naturalise itself as completely as the term larrikin to which it has reference. Is it possible that anyone is so fortunate now as not to know that a "push" is a gang of larrikins of the class that runs in packs together like jackals, and makes our picnic grounds and street corners places of avoidance to the many? If any such there be, his experience is to be envied. The writer of the letter in the Herald of a day or two ago, signed "Newtown," is clearly none such. He raises a bitter wail over the circumstance that Albemarle-street, in his suburb, is impassable at night, owing to what is known as the "Kingston push." It is not easy to perceive any points about this "push" that differentiate it from any other "push," but that hardly makes its presence in Albemarle-street more tolerable. Its members assemble at a certain point every night, it appears, and pass away a pleasant hour or two in goading passers-by with quaint impertinences. "Each one of these pests," says the correspondent, "is supplied with a cigarette or a portion thereof." Just so; and they probably expectorate across the footpath, and use horse-play and bad language. You may see the same thing in any suburb about Sydney, and the curious thing about it is that all these "pushes" are not composed of larrikins either. Some of the lads are of respectable parentage. Many work hard all day, and some even go to school. Of course there is an out-and-out larrikin element as well, but that is the residuum. The others are the result of idle evenings, and the want of something to absorb their superfluous interest. They must do something. Their homes, perhaps, are not inviting. They must have relaxation of some kind. So they run to seed at street corners, talk about the totalisator, and qualify for larrikinism in earnest. The only thing to cope with this state of things is the spread of technical schools in the suburbs, and if they could be combined with some element of amusement so much the better. For larrikinism as such there is only one remedy—extinction.

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"Marriages are made in heaven," says the pleasantly cynical Mr. Titheradge, in the play now running at the Criterion, "but for exportation only." I wonder who makes the customs that govern the management of theatres—or to be more particular, of the audience-holding portion of them. Whoever it may be, he or they would have his or their hands full if attention were paid to all the suggestions that are made through the correspondence columns of the daily papers. Sometimes the writers want the management to issue a Median ukase forbidding ladies to wear high hats in the stalls; because, forsooth, people who pay to see the stage cannot look over the tops of these structures,—as if the ladies who wear them cared about that. Then another critic will be quite satisfied if everything in the shape of slow tableau music is cut out of the piece altogether, because it disturbs the continuity of what he facetiously calls his thought. Yet another wants a longer wait between the acts, and another—temperance man, probably—wants no waits at all. Sometimes the suggestion is frivolous, sometimes frankly impossible; and sometimes a writer, like him who discoursed of theatre-seats during the week, irradiates the desultory discussion with a vivid gleam of common-sense. This writer complains of the system of admission to the theatre. At present, he says, there is only one way of getting a good seat without reserving it—by entering when the doors are opened and waiting in the dusk for three-quarters of an hour. This is the practice everywhere. In London the playgoers bring campstools and sandwiches, and perhaps a novel from the circulating library, and sit down over against the theatre door with exemplary patience until it is opened. Then they crack nuts and drink gingerbeer inside, some of them. In Paris they form long but orderly queues in front of the door, and patiently wait their turn. But the letter I quoted from contains a suggestion to get over all that. Let the management sell tickets during the day, with numbers corresponding to numbered seats, and then a man may get what he wants without waiting all the evening for his chance. It looks practicable, this time.

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THE MAGAZINES FOR DECEMBER.

The most noteworthy article in an uncommonly good number of the *Contemporary Review* is one on "A Russian Secret State Trial," by Mr. Adolphe Smith. The writer has obtained, by some means which he does not divulge, the whole record of the trial, and his story will convince everybody that the present state of things in Russia cannot continue long. The man tried was Lopatine, an amiable and patriotic young Russian, whose object was to keep clear of secret societies, and to seek the regeneration of his unhappy country by peaceable and lawful methods. The result was that he was condemned to death, the sentence being merely commuted into perpetual imprisonment in a fortress. Another good article is one by Mr. John Rae, who is an authority on Socialist movements. He argues from the experience of Victoria against an Eight Hours Act.

The eight hours day can only be an abiding possession if it come through the successive growth of opinion and organisation in one trade *after* another. This history of the movement in Victoria is the history of such successive triumphs of opinion and organisation; as soon as a trade has come to want the eight hours day earnestly enough to be willing to sacrifice something for it, the trade has always got it. In the result they have had to sacrifice very little; scarce one of them suffered a fall of wages by the change, for the simple reason that there was no serious fall in their daily production. The difference between the ten hours day and the eight hours day in Victoria was not two hours but only three-quarters of an hour, for—at least in the important trades—the old day was ten hours, with an hour and a quarter off for meals; and in eight hours with only one break the men probably did near as much as they did before in the eight hours and three-quarters with a double break. Still, most of the trades took 20 or 25 years before they ventured to join the movement; and though no country in the world is so much under the control of working-class opinion as Victoria, the proposal of a general legal eight-hour day, which has repeatedly come before the Legislature, has never met with any great favour.

A third article of more than usual importance is one by Professor Sayce on recent discoveries in "Oriental Archæology." It has been found that the kingdom of Sheba superseded an earlier Minæan kingdom at least 10 centuries before Christ. Now late discoveries have given us the names of 33 Minæan kings, and therefore the Minæan inscriptions carry us back to an exceedingly remote antiquity.

It would thus appear that Palestine, or at all events the tribes immediately surrounding it, were in close contact with a civilised power which had established trade routes from the south, and protected them from the attacks of the nomad Beduin. The part now performed, or supposed to be performed, by Turkey, was performed before the days of Solomon by the princes and merchants of Ma'in. A conclusion of unexpected interest follows this discovery. The Minæans were a literary people; they used an alphabetical system of writing, and set up their inscriptions, not only in their southern homes, but also in their colonies in the north. If their records really mount back to the age now claimed for them—and it is difficult to see where counter-arguments are to come from—they will be far older than the oldest known inscription in Phœnician letters. Instead of deriving the Minæan alphabet from the Phœnician, we must derive the Phœnician alphabet from the Minæan, or from one of the Arabian alphabets of which the Minæan was the mother; instead of seeking in Phœnicia the primitive home of the alphabets of our modern world, we shall have to look for it in Arabia. Canon Isaac Taylor, in his "History of the Alphabet," had already found himself compelled by palæographic evidence to assign a much earlier date to the alphabet of South Arabia than that which had previously been ascribed to it, and the discoveries of Glaser and Hommel show that he was right.

In an article on General Booth's "Darkest England," Mr. Francis Peek criticises the General's methods rather severely, but on the whole thinks that the scheme is "practicable in its proposals," and ought to be tried.

In the *Nineteenth Century* Mr. Chamberlain proposes that the English Parliament should follow the example of the American House of Representatives and limit the number of hours during which any measure can be considered in committee. Professor Huxley is most amusing. In a controversy between Mr. Gladstone and himself about the miracle of the devils entering into the swine, Mr. Gladstone, rather rashly, had assumed that he had not studied the literature of the subject. He retorts with damaging effect, and shows conclusively that Mr. Gladstone was the ignorant man and not himself. Writing on "Idealism and the Masses" Mr. Cunninghame Graham argues that in the future the masses will press forward by battalions, needing less and less individual leaders. Cardinal Manning has some impressive words to say about "Irresponsible Wealth." He regards the secretion of vast fortunes in England and America with unconcealed alarm, and sees no way out of the danger but by the doctrine of self-sacrifice. If a tithe of the "irresponsible wealth" possessed by England—such tithe being about seventy millions—were given yearly to wise private and public uses, the face of England would be changed."

Lieutenant Troup writes very bitterly in the *Fortnightly Review* on "Stanley's Rear Guard." The gist of his paper is contained in the following passage:—

The singular sight has been presented to the world of Mr. Stanley attempting to relieve the commander of our camp from blame by casting it on his subordinates. Then Major Barttelot's family publish his account of the matter, pointing out that the disasters were due to Mr. Stanley's own mismanagement. Whereupon Mr. Stanley, after exhorting me not to blame Major Barttelot, turns about, and not only blames him, but insinuates further charges of graver import against him, and states that the proof of these is contained in a letter of mine to him, but when confronted with that shifts his ground, basing his accusations on the statements of another.

Mr. George Meredith's story is continued in true Mereditaian English. Two ladies are very tired, go to bed, and yawn. This simple fact is thus described:—

On entering their spacious bed-chamber, they were so fatigued that sleep appeared to their minds the compensating logical deduction. Miss Dorothea suppressed a yawn and inflicted it upon Miss Virginia, who returned it with an apology, and immediately had her sister's hand on her shoulder, for an attempted control of the irresistibles, a spectacle imparting bitter shudders and shots to the sympathetic jawbones of an observer.

If this kind of writing is to be further developed, a three-volume novel might be written about a man having his dinner, smoking a cigar, poking the fire, and blowing his nose. An article on "Dr. Koch's Consumption Cure," by Dr. Berdoe, will be found very interesting; and so will one by Madame Darmesteter (late Miss Mary Robinson) on "Rural Life in France in the Fourteenth Century."

The charm of the *New Review* will be found in two newly-discovered papers by De Quincey. We quote from one on "The Loveliest Sight for Woman's Eyes":—

Nineteen times out of twenty I have remarked that the true paradise of a female life, in all ranks not too elevated for constant intercourse with the children, is by no means the years of courtship, nor the earliest period of marriage, but that sequestered chamber of her experience in which a mother is left alone through the day, with servants, perhaps, in a distant part of the house, and (God be thanked!) chiefly where there are no servants at all; she is attended by one sole companion, her little first-born angel, as yet clinging to her robe, imperfectly able to walk, still more imperfect in its prattling and innocent thoughts, clinging to her, haunting her wherever she goes as her shadow, catching from her eye the total inspiration of its little palpitating heart, and sending to hers a thrill of secret pleasure so often as its little fingers fasten on her own. Left alone from morning to night with this one companion, or even with three still wearing the graces of infancy, buds of various stages upon the self-same tree, a woman, if she has the great blessing of approaching such a luxury of paradise, is moving—too often not aware that she is moving—through the divinest section of her life. As evening sets in, the husband, through all walks of life, from the highest professional down to that of common labour, returns home to vary her modes of conversation by such thoughts and interests as are more consonant with his more extensive capacities of intellect. But by that time her child (or her children) will be reposing on the little couch, and in the morning, duly as the sun ascends in power, she sees before her a long, long day of perfect pleasure in this society which evening will bring to her, but which is interwoven with every fibre of her sensibilities. This condition of noiseless quiet love is that above all which God blesses and smiles upon.

The first sentence in this passage seems to us one of the most beautiful in the English language.

The *Newbery House Magazine* is full of good papers, but it wants an exceedingly high churchman to appreciate the whole of this monthly. However, several of the Christmas papers will be liked by everybody.

The Christmas number of the *English Illustrated Magazine* is with regard to its literary matter—the illustrations being also uncommonly good—decidedly the best of all the Christmas numbers. Dr. Kynaston translates the "Batrachomyomachia," one of the earliest of parodies, into modern—very modern—English, and Mr. Louis Wain's drawings of the war between the frogs and mice are most humorous. Mrs. W. K. Clifford contributes one of her fascinating and most original "Anyhow Stories." Then there is a paper on "Convent Life" by Sister Aloysia, which will be read with the utmost interest. The writer found many things in her novitiate hard to bear, but eventually she "passed into the silent life" with equanimity, and even joy. Other good papers are on "Inns and Taverns of Old London," by Mr. Philip Norman, and on "Nooks and Corners in Westminster Abbey," by Archdeacon Farrar.

Harper's Magazine is also presented in the guise of a Christmas number. Its most noteworthy paper is one on Mr. Leyland's house at Prince's Gate, Hyde Park, which is a veritable museum of art treasures. This paper presents an opportunity of giving lovely engravings—some of the finest specimens of American engraving we have ever seen—of such celebrated pictures as "The Blessed Damozel," the "Veronica Veronese," and the "Loving Cup" of Rossetti, and the "Circe" and "Venus's Mirror" of Burne Jones. Another paper to which attention should be called is that by Mr. Andrew Lang on "As You Like It," with illustrations by Mr. E. A. Abbey. The artist is unequal, but his frontispiece is delicately beautiful.

Scribner's is yet another Christmas number. The illustrations to articles on "Amy Robsart, Kenilworth, and Warwick," and on the Neapolitan painter "Morelli," add greatly to the attractions of the magazine; and there are several short stories which are more or less readable.

In the *Century* the story of the famous fight between the Shannon and the Chesapeake is told once more, and, of course, from an American point of view. The writer attributes the loss of the Chesapeake to the fact that the captain had only a scratch crew, many of them mere landsmen. An article on "Life in California before the Gold Discovery" is full of curious stories. As late as 1848 there was no doctor in California, and a fellow named Meeks, who could not read or write, and did not even know the names of the commonest medicines, thought he saw a good opening, dubbed himself a physician, and soon got a practice.

One day he went into a little shop kept by a man known as Dr. Stokes, who had been a kind of hospital steward on board ship, and who had brought ashore one of those little medicine chests that were usually taken to sea with apothecary scales and a pamphlet giving a short synopsis of diseases and a table of weights and medicines, so that almost anybody could administer relief to sick sailors. Meeks went to him and said, "Doctor, I want you to put me up some powders?" So Stokes went behind his table, and got out his weights and medicines, and asked, "What kind of powders?" "Just common powders. Patient not very sick." "If you will tell me what kind of powders, Dr. Meeks—" "Oh, just common powders." That is all he would say.

The best thing in the *Cornhill* is an article on "Big Birds," especially the struthious non-flying birds of the Southern Hemisphere. The writer thinks that they lost the power of flying because they were not subjected to any serious competition from mammals. His description of the degeneration of the feathers in ostriches, cassowaries and emus, is lucid and interesting. A paper on "The Duello in France" is also worth glancing over.

Temple Bar is much fuller than usual this month, but articles on "The Journal of Sir Walter Scott," on "Stafford Northcote," and on "The Illustrating of Books" are by no means bad reading.

Mr. James Sully in *Longman's Magazine* propounds the theory that as the dog is gradually ceasing to be useful to mankind, his loyalty and fidelity are likewise decreasing. Perhaps the theory may be true as regards town dogs and ornamental dogs. The number also contains an excellent article on "Spiders" by Arthur Somerset.

Macmillan is, as usual, scholarly and good in literary style. The story by Mr. Christie Murray and Mr. Henry Herman develops in interest, and promises to be most exciting. Of the other articles we may specially commend one on "Henry Vaughan," the poet.

With the usual *Boys' Own Paper* and the *Girls' Own Paper* are daintily got up Christmas numbers. *The Sun* is taking a high place as a family magazine. Among its contributors this month are Mrs Oliphant, Professor Church, and Dr. Campbell Clarke. *Chambers's Journal* has an exceedingly good article on schoolgirl blunders, and is otherwise up to its usual standard of merit. No magazine is more of a popular favourite than this. In the *Sunday at Home* Professor Sayce continues his valuable papers on "Social Life among the Assyrians and Babylonians." We have also to acknowledge *Leisure Hour*, which of late has been improving month by month, and *St. Nicholas*, which fascinates children as much as ever.

Hassell's Annual is a mine of useful information. The number now published contains 200 additional biographies, many of them of leading colonists. Indeed, the colonies occupy a far larger space in this annual than in any other publication of the kind.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—Friday, January 16.

In Chambers.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* Foster.)

IN RE J. M. CURTIS, EX PARTE C. C. D. CUNYNGHAME.

Mr. Frank A. Davenport appeared in support of an application by Cecilia C. D. Cunynghame, administratrix of the estate of Robert Cunynghame, deceased, calling upon J. M. Curtis to show cause why he should not forthwith deliver to applicant all moneys received by him for or on account of Robert Cunynghame, and why he should not pay all costs of, and incidental to, the application. Mr. Bourke appeared to oppose the application. The matter had been adjourned from the previous Friday to enable Mr. Curtis to file an affidavit in reply. In this affidavit it was set up that Mr Curtis had a lien on the moneys in question by virtue of his bill of costs.

His Honor held that the lien only extended to the amount of the bill of costs, and he therefore made an order that Mr. Curtis should deliver his bill of costs before Wednesday next, and pay on such delivery the balance, if any, not claimed by him as costs. His Honor ordered that Mr. Curtis should pay the costs of the adjournment (£5 5s), and that payment of the costs of the application should stand over pending taxation of the bill to be delivered.

IN RE EUREKA SANITARY PATENTS CO., LIMITED.

Mr. Cohen, instructed by Mr. Fred. W. Walker, appeared in support of an application for a rule nisi calling upon the directors of the Eureka Sanitary Patents Company to show cause why a writ of sequestration should not issue against them for having disobeyed an injunction granted on the previous Friday restraining the company from continuing a nuisance at the works at Newcastle. Several affidavits were put in showing that during the week, despite the injunction granted by the Court, a most offensive smell had been caused by the work carried on, and that such smell was injurious to health.

His Honor ordered a rule nisi to issue, returnable next Friday.

In Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* Manning.)

PROBATE.

Applications for probate were granted in respect of the wills of the following persons:—William Grahame, James Wort, Henry William Charles Smith, Helen Bell, Stephen Steer, John Kennedy Howe, Henry Bourne, John Williams, Thomas Dunne, Robert Wegulin Vanderkiste, John Creighton, George Ogilvy Renshaw, James John Lucas, George Proudfoot, George Howell, Rebecca Jane Con, William Guilmasten, William Wood, Winifred Susannah Mary Macmahon, William Willoughby, William Broadhurst, John Ralph, Thomas Wratten, Charles Blunt, Jacob Foudham, John Grant, Mary M'Innes, John Petrie, Sarah Emma Wilson, Ann Young, Edward Prosser Lewis, Ellen Armstrong, William Jacomb Conder, John Hall, William Robertson, Sarah Andrews, and Michael Cannery.

ADMINISTRATION.

Letters of administration were ordered to issue in respect of the estates of the following persons:—George Searle, William Henry Bray, John Biggar, Alfred Myers, Thomas William Joseph Dransfield, James Hoodley, Isabella Ann M'Mickle, Patrick Boyle Hassett, Ambrose Blakeney, Patrick Townsell, Jessie Mitchell, John Wadley, William Daniel Eales, Annie Maria Thompson, Eliza Macdonald, Henry Bartle, Brereton Coghlan Taylor, H. Mason, and Edward Scriven.

In Bankruptcy.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* Manning.)

HEARING OF CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Re Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria, Limited, v. William Francis Corbett. The hearing of the creditors' petition was adjourned, by consent, to a future date, on the application of Mr. A. Macarthy.

Re E. M. Stephen v. Charles A. Harper. Adjourned till January 30th, before the Registrar.

Re G. Mottos state v. Marmaduke Constable. Adjourned to February 16.

Re C. D'Arcy and Co. v. Henry Payten. Mr. Mitchell appeared for the petitioning creditors. No objections were filed, and an order was made for the sequestration of the estate. Mr. Stephen was appointed official assignee.

APPLICATION TO DISPENSE WITH SERVICE.

Re A. Gregory and Co. v. Edward Mouatt. In this case it was shown by Mr. Brennan for the petitioners that the respondent was not to be found, and application was made on behalf of the petitioning creditor to dispense with the service of the papers. His Honor granted the order, subject to the advertising of the matter in the press.

MOTION FOR RELEASE OF ESTATE.

Re Thomas Exton. This was an adjourned application for a release of the estate. Mr. Pope appeared for the applicant. Affidavits which were previously required by the Court were supplied, and the release was granted by his Honor.

MOTION FOR ANTEDATING AN ACT OF BANKRUPTCY.

Re Charles E. M'Govern. This was an application for an order antedating the act of bankruptcy. Mr. Mitchell appeared for the applicant. The act of bankruptcy was antedated to October 9, 1890.

SEQUESTRATIONS.

John Kelly, Commandant-hill, West Kempsey. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

John Richardson, contractor, Grand Central Coffee Palace, Sydney. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

Abraham Meyer Hart, chemist, 102 Oxford-street, Sydney. Mr. Stephen, official assignee.

Frederick James Bowman, working jeweller, Hillgrove. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

In our report of Mr. Justice Forster's decision in the case of Evans v. O'Connor, which appeared in yesterday's issue, the words "two cases" occurring in the fourteenth line from the bottom of the column, should have read "this case."

PARRAMATTA QUARTER SESSIONS.

Friday, January 16.

(*Before his Honor Mr. District Court Judge* M'Farland.)

Mr. Coffey acted as Crown Prosecutor, and Mr. W. R. Beaver as Clerk of the Peace.

FALSE PRETENCES.

Patrick M'Ginley was charged with obtaining sums of money from George Coates, A. Johnstone, A. Holmes, H. R. Barry, and Walter Gates, by means of valueless cheques. Prisoner stated that when he drew the cheques he was not aware that his banking account had been overdrawn, and he believed that money would be paid in to his account by the Treasury as salary due to him prior to his dismissal from the railway service. He was sentenced to three years' imprisonment in Parramatta Gaol.

LARCENY AS A BAILEE.

Thomas Ray was charged with larceny as a bailee in having sold three horses, the property of Reuben Clarke, and appropriated the money to his own use. Prisoner pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Thomas Passfield, an old man, aged 78 years, was charged with attempting to commit suicide in George-street Asylum. The case was not a grave one, and his Honor only inflicted a sentence of 10 minutes' imprisonment. Alexander R. Norton, clerk of the institution, was called as a witness and did not appear. His Honor estreated his recognisances.

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

Edward John Sword, charged with assaulting a girl named Jane Michael, aged 4 years, was acquitted by the jury and discharged.

CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD.

Michael G. Murray and Arthur B. Mason were called to answer a charge of conspiracy to defraud. Mason did not appear, and his bail (£200) was ordered to be estreated, and a warrant issued for his apprehension. Thomas Sainsbury stated that he had seen Murray and Mason respecting some land open for selection in the Castle Hill district. They offered to show him the land for a consideration. Mason drove him out and showed him a piece of land at Kenthurst, representing that it was the land open for selection. Afterwards witness and Murray attended at the Parramatta Lands Office, and entered an application for the land. Witness paid the fees and gave the accused their commission, after which he alleged that he found out from a tracing from the Lands Office that the land he had actually purchased was a far inferior piece to the land pointed out to him.

Murray was found guilty, with a strong recommendation to mercy, on account of prisoner being to a great extent the dupe of Mason. His Honor concurred with the verdict and the recommendation, and sentenced him to six months in Parramatta Gaol. Mr. Roberts, for the prisoner, held that it was not competent for the jury to find Murray guilty in the absence of Mason, both being charged together. His Honor was in doubt, and admitted the prisoner to bail of two sureties of £200 each, pending the decision on the point next Monday.

POLICE.

Mr. W. Johnson, S.M., presided in the Charge Division of the Central Police Court yesterday. Ernest William Smith, alias Weinritter, on remand was charged with having a clock and two soup basins in his possession supposed to be stolen, and was sentenced to seven days' gaol with hard labour. On a charge of having forged an endorsement to a bill of exchange for £25, and with having uttered the same to the Colonial Bank of Australasia, Melbourne, on November 30, 1889, he was remanded for seven days. Robert Mitchell, alias R. C. Manton, alias M'Intosh, alias Whitelaw, 28, a traveller, was remanded until Thursday on charges of having obtained tobacco to the value of £114, from Dixson and Sons, tobacco merchants, by means of a false pretence, with intent to defraud, and of having embezzled the sum of £3 8s 3d, the property of his master, John Marsh. John Schomaker, 34, butcher, having used insulting words towards Margaret Taylor at the bar of the Derby Hotel, Regent-street, was fined £2, in default 14 days' gaol. Joseph Williams, on remand, was charged with having obtained the sum of £5 2s from Farmer and Co. by means of a valueless cheque with intent to defraud. It appears that the accused purchased articles from the firm to the amount of £9 18s, and ordered the goods to be sent to his residence. Some days after he tendered a cheque for £15 in payment of the goods, and received £5 2s change. The cheque upon presentation was found to be valueless. John Costa, 62, an engine-driver, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour on a charge of having stolen the sum of 17s, a pair of boots, and a handkerchief, valued at £1 7s, the property of Luskini Maurisio. The evidence was to the effect that prosecutor gave the accused the keys of his house, with directions that he should get his dinner; and that when the prosecutor returned he found that the accused had left and that 17s in copper had been stolen. He gave information to the police and the prisoner was arrested on a Newcastle steamer. Accused was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. John or Joseph M'Donnell was sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labour for having stolen 30s, the property of Joseph Ptan. The two men were fellow-workmen at a restaurant, and the accused knew where prosecutor kept his cash. Two boys, George Winchester and Edward Bennett, were charged with having stolen a till containing 18s 5d, the property of William Payne, a storekeeper of Little Albion-street. Evidence was given to the effect that two boys were observed to enter the shop of the prosecutor, take the till, and escape. Bennett was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment, with hard labour, but as the witnesses could not identify Winchester as one of the lads he was discharged. Thomas Fleury, 33, a carpenter, was charged with having attempted to steal a purse, containing £2 5s 1d, three tram tickets, and a watchkey, the property of Charlotte Bishop. The evidence for the prosecution was that whilst the prosecutrix was standing, with a large number of others outside Her Majesty's Theatre, waiting for the opening of the gates, the accused placed his hand in her pocket, but before he was able to extract the purse, she observed him, and at once gave him into the custody of Constable Scott. The accused was committed to take his trial at the Court of Quarter Sessions. Bail was allowed, accused in £80, and two sureties in £40. William Blackie was charged with having assaulted a constable whilst in the execution of his duty was ordered to pay 40s, or go to gaol for 14 days. Lizzie Jones was charged with having assaulted Coarier Yates by throwing a vase, which struck him violently on the head, causing blood to flow freely. Accused was fined £10, in default to be imprisoned for four months. Alice Smith, a companion of hers, was fined £3, in default to be imprisoned for one month, on a charge of having assaulted Mary Jane Lewis. The two cases were heard together, and it appeared the two women went to the residence of Mrs. Lewis for the purpose of assaulting her and that Charles Yates was assaulted in endeavouring to prevent the interference of the accused. In the Summons Division, Joseph C. Ross, a licensed publican, was fined £2, in default to be imprisoned for 14 days on a charge of having sold liquor to intoxicated persons. Francis J. Stesley having been the keeper of a ferocious dog, was fined £2, in default 21 days imprisonment. Benj Tripp was fined £1 for having placed a barrow on the carriage-way.

Mr. B. Lee, S.M., presided in the Charge Division of the Water Police Court. Alfred Beard, seaman of the Cuzco, for being absent from his ship without leave was sentenced to 24 hours' incarceration. Thomas Kelly, 50, for being drunk and disorderly in Essex-street was ordered to pay 20s, or go to gaol for seven days; and for maliciously damaging nine panes of glass, the property of Ellen Murphy, was ordered to pay 10s, or go to gaol for 21 days, cumulative on the first sentence. Walter Collins was charged with having obtained £7 10s from Robert Walworth by a false pretence with intent to defraud. He pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour. Sydney Routledge, 21, cabman, for playing an unlawful game, to wit, "heading them," in Albert-street, was fined 20s, or in default seven days' imprisonment. For behaving in a riotous manner in George-street William Viteir, seaman, was fined 20s, or in default to go to gaol for seven days. Sidney Allen Ward, alias A. Wiltshire, was charged that being the bailee of a diamond ring, valued £15 15s, the property of Mary Clarence Watts, he did fraudulently convert the same to his own use. Evidence showed that the prisoner borrowed the ring to have one made like it, and he then disposed of it. He pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour, cumulative on the 12 months he is now serving. Captain Fisher, S.M., presided in the Summons Division. For having unclean premises, James Ryan was fined £2, levy and distress, or 21 days; and for having a defective water-closet was fined in a like amount. George M'Crory, for having unclean premises, was fined £1, levy and distress, or 2 days. For loitering, Annie Brown, John Donnelly, and James Orr were each fined £5, and costs 5s 6d, levy and distress, or three months' imprisonment; Norah Giassler was fined £3, and costs 5s 6d, levy and distress, or two months' imprisonment; Clara Davis was fined £2 10s, and costs 5s 6d, levy and distress, or two months' imprisonment; Alice Clarke, Catherine King, and Florence Stanley were each fined £2, and costs 5s 6d, levy and distress, or one month's imprisonment. Robert Cox, for using indecent language, was fined £2, and costs 5s 6d, or in default to go to gaol for one month. Daniel Sullivan was bound over in his own recognisance for £30 to keep the peace towards George Seaman for six months.

At the Newtown Police Court, Mr. O'Malley Clarke, S.M., presided. Louisa Tainton, 18, was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment for stealing goods, value £1, the property of Thomas M'Gee. A fine of 30s, in default 21 days' imprisonment, was inflicted on Mary Jane Tagg for maliciously injuring a fence, the property of William Edmunds.

CRUELTY TO A HORSE.

At the Central Police Court yesterday, Robert Howe, 32, a labourer, was charged with having cruelly ill-treated a horse in Leichhardt. The evidence adduced showed that the animal had been treated in a cruel manner. The man had thrown the horse down, broken a whip by striking the animal across the head, and treated the animal in an unmerciful manner.

The magistrate remarked that the case was the worst of its kind that had ever come under his notice, and he would inflict the heaviest sentence allowed by the Act, namely, three months' imprisonment, without the option of a fine, and with hard labour.

LIGHT-WEIGHT BREAD.

In the Summons Division of the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. C. Delohery, D.S.M., James W. Evans, inspector of weights and measures, proceeded against Edward William Cook, a baker, carrying on business at 460 Elizabeth-street, Redfern, for having upon his premises 30 loaves of bread which upon being weighed were found to be 72oz. short weight. Mr. T. M. Williamson appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. J. M. Fawl for the defence.

James W. Evans, inspector of weights and measures, deposed that the bread produced was not fancy bread; he went to the bakehouse of the defendant at about 7 a.m. on the 13th instant and weighed the loaves; the whole of the 30 loaves were under the standard weight of 2lb.; the other batches were not light; defendant told him that he would not like the matter to come before the Court, and stated to witness that if a prosecution could be avoided he would not lose by it.

Edward William Cook deposed that he was a baker carrying on business in Redfern; the 30 loaves weighed by Mr. Evans were known as "French rolls," and were fancy bread under the meaning of the Act; the loaves were not made for sale to the general public, but were made to the special orders of a Mr. Thomas, the proprietor of a restaurant in Pitt-street; he made 2400 loaves that morning, and the 30 produced were the only ones of their kind.

Several persons were placed in the box to prove that the loaves produced were known to the trade as "French rolls" and "fancy bread."

Mr. Fawl submitted that the case should be dismissed on the following grounds:—(1) That Mr. Evans was not an examiner of weights and measures appointed under Act 3, William IV., No. 1, as required by 6, William IV., No. 1, sec. 11, and known as the Bread Act, the former Act having been repealed by 16 Victoria No. 34, and he could not, by virtue of his appointment under the last named Act, enter premises under the Bread Act, as he was only appointed inspector of weights and measures under 16 Victoria, No. 34, and the powers conferred under 3 William IV., No. 1, had never been re-enacted. 2. That the prosecutor was not a duly appointed special constable, as required by section 11 of the Bread Act, so as to be a person authorised to enter upon the premises of the defendant under the Bread Act. His appointment was only under sec. 12 of 19 Victoria, No. 24, known as "The Police (Towns) Act," and he had no special appointment to act under the Bread Act. He cited ex parte Brown, heard in the Supreme Court on 17th February, 1887.

The magistrate inflicted a fine of £18, being 5s for each ounce short of weight, together with £2 7s 6d costs.

Notice of appeal was given.

MILITARY.

Major-General Richardson, C.B., has made the following promotion and appointment in the Assistant Adjutant-General's office:—Mr. Arthur Holmes, second assistant, to be first assistant clerk from the 10th instant inclusive, vice Kavanagh, deceased; Acting Bombardier William Ball to be second assistant clerk, vice Holmes, promoted, with pay at the rate of 7s 6d per diem, rations, fuel and light, and an allowance of 10s per week in lieu of quarters, from the date of his discharge from the N.S.W. Artillery, viz., 18th instant, inclusive.

Towards the end of February or the beginning of March the mounted band to be established in connection with the New South Wales Regiment of Cavalry will have become an accomplished fact. The band instruments arrived by the Carthage this week, and are of the newest and most approved type, and before purchase were examined and approved by the commandant of the Royal Military School of Music at Kneller Hall. Horses are being purchased by the cavalry authorities at Maitland, where the band will have its headquarters. With the exception of the drummer, who is to have a piebald, the bandsmen will be mounted on greys. The band, it is said, will be the first of its kind established in the colonies, and will, in all probability, make its appearance in the metropolis on such occasions as the opening of Parliament, the Queen's Birthday Review, the annual encampments, and so forth. It will, to all intents and purposes, be a regimental band. Warrant-officer Thompson visits Maitland to-day on duty in connection with its establishment.

The lances with which members of the New South Wales Regiment of Cavalry are to be armed are being marked, and will be issued very shortly. The efficiency of the cavalrymen will thus be added to, the lance being looked upon by the authorities as a valuable auxiliary to the sword for mounted duty. The carbines will be retained for use when the cavalry act dismounted.

A general order issued from the staff office on Thursday contains the time-table of the musketry course for 47 country corps. Target practice is fixed to commence at 9.30 a.m., and preliminary drill at 7.30 p.m. daily. Third-class shots, recruits, and men who did not fire last year, must attend four preliminary drills before they can be allowed to fire. Dress: Field service uniform, and rifles without slings. Side arms and waist belts will be dispensed with at target practice, but haversacks will be worn.

Warrant-Officer Brears will proceed to Middle Head on Monday, by the 9 a.m. guard boat, to complete the equipment of muzzle-loading and breech-loading guns in the Port Jackson district. The officer commanding artillery forces will detail six men and the garrison cart to meet the guard boat on arrival at Middle Head Wharf, the six men to assist in the work throughout.

The cavalry sergeants, after having undergone a course of drill with a view to the establishment of a uniform system of instruction throughout the regiment, have returned to headquarters. Warrant-Officer Thompson, under the supervision of Captain M'Neill, conducted the course of drill.

A proposal is being discussed to introduce a full dress uniform for the Cavalry Regiment. If the proposal is adopted it is probable that a lancer tunic of Khakee pattern, with scarlet facings, together with helmets, will be chosen.

Captain Antill, acting Adjutant Mounted Infantry, visited Campbelltown on inspection duty on Tuesday, and Inverell on Wednesday.

Colonel Airey left headquarters on Thursday for inspection duty at Newcastle.

Major Lassetter, officer commanding the Mounted Infantry, left headquarters yesterday for inspection duty at Campbelltown.

Warrant-officer Holman will leave headquarters to-day for inspection duty at Queanbeyan.

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Glebe—Cottage, Francis-street, 4 rooms, 10s per week
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Chippendale—Wattle-street, 5 rooms, 11s week
Camperdown—Cottage, 3 rooms, 8s per week
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Darlington—Houses, 4 rooms, 8s week
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WANTED, by middle of February, a HOUSE, of 6 or 7 rooms, beside other offices. Darlinghurst, Macleay-street, or Woollahra preferred. State rent and particulars to Box 183, G.P.O.

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Municipal Elections.

BOROUGH OF ALEXANDRIA.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Court for the Revision of the Municipal Lists of the various Wards of the Borough will be held at the Town Hall, Garden-street, Alexandria, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st January, 1891, at 8 p.m.
N.B.—All persons who have sent in claims or objections must be in attendance.
JOHN TURNER, Mayor.
Town Hall, Garden-street, Alexandria, January 16, 1891.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Public MEETING of the Electors of this Borough will be holden at the Council-chambers, Liverpool-road, Ashfield, on TUESDAY, February 3, 1891, at 1 o'clock noon, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing three Aldermen and two Auditors, in lieu of those retiring, in accordance with the Municipalities Act of 1867.
Nominations must be in writing, and addressed to me, and left either with me or at the Council-chambers, seven days at least before the said day of nomination.
R. DOUGAN, Returning Officer.
Council-chambers, Ashfield, 15th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF CAMPERDOWN.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a MEETING of the Electors of the several Wards of this Borough will be held at the Town Hall, Camperdown, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of February, 1891, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing
THREE ALDERMEN.
ONE for COOK WARD, in the place of Alderman Geo. H. Sparkes, whose term of office expires.
ONE for KINGSTON WARD, in the place of Alderman Thos. Probert, whose term of office expires.
ONE for BELMORE WARD, in the place of Alderman Thomas Larkin, whose term of office expires.
Also, for Nominating and Electing TWO AUDITORS in place of Messrs. Hardcastle and Philip, the retiring Auditors.
NOMINATIONS must be in writing, and delivered to me at the Town Hall, George-street, Camperdown, seven clear days at least before the day of nomination.
Retiring Aldermen and Auditors are eligible for re-election.
BENJAMIN MORGAN, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Camperdown, January 16, 1891.

BOROUGH OF CAMPERDOWN.
RE LOCAL OPTION.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the Licensing Acts of 1882 and 1883, a VOTE of the Ratepayers of each Ward of this Borough will be taken in February next, one day to be hereafter announced.
BENJAMIN MORGAN, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Camperdown, January 16, 1891.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CANTERBURY.
NOTICE is hereby given that an open Court for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists of the North, East, and West Wards of the abovenamed Municipal District will be holden at the Town Hall, Canterbury, on THURSDAY, the 22nd instant, at 8 p.m.
J. C. STONE, Mayor.
Town Hall, Canterbury, January 16, 1891.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CANTERBURY.
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a Public MEETING of the Electors of the abovenamed Municipal District will be holden at the Town Hall, Canterbury-road, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of February next, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing THREE ALDERMEN and TWO AUDITORS in place of those who retire as by law required.
Nominations must be in writing and delivered to me at my residence, Clyde-street, Croydon Park, SEVEN DAYS AT LEAST before the said 3rd day of February next.
J. C. STONE, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Canterbury, January 16, 1891.

BOROUGH of DARLINGTON.—Ratepayers, JAMES JOHNSTON, Builder, is a Candidate for election, and solicits your vote and interest; rally round and support him. He is a resident of 20 years in the Borough.

MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Act of 1867, an Open Court, for the purpose of Revising the Municipal List of each ward for the municipal year 1891-92, will be holden at the Town Hall, North-road, Five Dock, on THURSDAY EVENING NEXT, the 22nd instant, at 7 o'clock.
ERNEST L. SUTTON, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, January 14, 1891.

MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK.
NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a MEETING of the Electors of the above Municipality will be held at the Town Hall, North-road, Five Dock, at the hour of 12 noon, on TUESDAY, the third day of February next, for the purpose of Electing Two Aldermen, one for the East, and one for the West Wards; and Two Auditors in place of those who retire as by law required.
Nominations in writing must be delivered to me at the Town Hall, Five Dock, 7 days at least before the said third day of February.
A. N. SUTTON, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Five Dock, January 13, 1891.

FOREST LODGE WARD.—TO THE ELECTORS.—Alderman J. H. SEAMER is a candidate for Re-election, and respectfully solicits your vote and interest. A preliminary Meeting of the friends and supporters will be held at Mrs. Edgerton's Forest Lodge Hotel, on MONDAY EVENING, 19th instant, at 8 o'clock.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LEICHHARDT.
REVISION COURT.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Open Court, for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists for the East, Middle, West, and North Wards of this Municipality for the year 1891-2, will be held at the Town Hall, Norton-street, on FRIDAY, January 23, at 7 o'clock p.m.
All persons having claimed to have their names inserted on the said Lists are requested to attend the said Court personally.
GEO. INGLESON, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Leichhardt, January 17, 1891.

ELECTORS OF LEICHHARDT.
EAST WARD IN PARTICULAR.
Ladies and Gentlemen,—
As the Aldermanic Election takes place on the 7th of next month, and as I am a Candidate for the East Ward seat, I desire to do myself the honour of conversing with you en masse respecting the present deplorable condition, financial and otherwise, of our Municipality, and to that end I respectfully invite you to meet me at an OPEN-AIR DAYLIGHT MEETING, at the corner of Johnston and Booth streets, Annandale, at 4 o'clock THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, 17th instant.
Yours obediently, WILLIAM PRITCHARD.
Should the weather prove too inclement, shelter will be provided in an adjacent building.

MANLY MUNICIPAL ELECTION.
H. E. FARMER, Esq., Addison-road, Manly.
We, the undersigned Ratepayers of Fairlight Ward, Municipal District of Manly, request that you will allow yourself to be nominated to represent the above Ward in the Manly Municipal Council to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Alderman Pitt.
Should you consent, we promise to use our best efforts to secure your return at the forthcoming election, to be held in February next,
To Messrs. Augustus Morris, Wm. Kilgour, R. M. Pitt, John Woods, F. T. Smith, Alex. Dean, John Sutherland, Benjamin James, J. A. Dean, S. S. Smith, J. B. Christian, Wm. Speer, and the other Ratepayers of Fairlight Ward signing the above requisition.
Ladies and Gentlemen,—
I have very great pleasure in complying with your numerously signed and influential requisition that I should offer myself as a Candidate to represent Fairlight Ward in the Manly Municipal Council.
I shall, if elected, give my best attention, not only to the interests of the Ratepayers of Fairlight Ward, but also to all matters affecting the general welfare of the Municipality. I may state I take a very broad view of municipal matters, and my support will always be given to any movement that will tend to the advancement of Manly. As you are aware, there are questions not coming immediately within the province of the Council to deal with, but which may be considerably aided by corporate action, such as overland communication, the opening up of the surroundings of our village, and many other works that would tend to promote the comfort of ratepayers, and would add to the attractiveness of Manly. All such matters shall have my earnest attention.
I am, Ladies and Gentlemen, yours obediently,
Craigyston, Manly, January 14th, 1891. H. E. FARMER.

MUNICIPALITY OF MACDONALDTOWN.
ANNUAL ELECTION OF ALDERMEN AND AUDITORS.
NOTICE is hereby given that a PUBLIC MEETING of the Electors of this Municipality will be held at the Council-chambers, Erskineville-road, on TUESDAY, the 3rd February next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing Three Aldermen (one for each Ward), and Two Auditors, in place of those retiring.
Nominations must be in writing, and delivered to me on or before MONDAY, the 26th January, being seven (7) days before the said day of nomination.
GEORGE IVES, Mayor and Returning Officer, Devine-street, Macdonaldtown.
Council-chambers, Macdonaldtown, January 16, 1891.

MUNICIPALITY OF MACDONALDTOWN.
LOCAL OPTION VOTE.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the Licensing Acts of 1882-3, a VOTE of the Ratepayers of each Ward (viz., North, Middle, and South) of the abovementioned Municipality will be taken at the Municipal Election, to be held in February next, to decide whether or not any new Publicans' Licenses or Removal of any Publicans' Licenses shall be granted during the ensuing three years.
GEORGE IVES, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Council-chambers, Macdonaldtown, January 16, 1891.

BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Public MEETING of the electors of the above Borough will be holden at 12 o'clock noon, at the Town Hall, Newtown, on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of February next ensuing, for the purpose of nominating and electing Four Aldermen, one each for Camden, Enmore, Kingston, and O'Connell Wards, and two auditors in room of those retiring by rotation.
Nominations in writing must be delivered to me seven days at least before the said day of nomination. In the event of there being more candidates nominated than are required to fill the vacancies, a Poll will be taken on the following Saturday, the 7th day of February next ensuing, commencing at 8 o'clock a.m. and closing at 5 o'clock p.m., at such place or places as may be appointed, and of which due notice will be given.
At the same time a Local Option Vote will be taken for each of the above Wards, when voters will have the privilege of determining the following questions:—1st. Shall any new publicans' licenses be granted in the Borough for a period of three years? 2nd. Shall any removal of publicans' licenses be granted in the Borough for a period of three years?
J. F. SMITH, Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Newtown, 15th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.
TO THE ELECTORS OF O'CONNELL WARD.
In consequence of the retirement of Alderman BROCK, I again offer myself as Alderman for the above Ward.
CHARLES J. LANE.

MUNICIPALITY OF MACDONALDTOWN.
REVISION COURT.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Open Court for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists for 1891-92 will be held in the Council-chambers, Erskineville-road, on FRIDAY, January 23rd instant, at 8 p.m.
WILLIAM F. BRAY, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Macdonaldtown, January 16, 1891.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.
ANNUAL ELECTION OF ALDERMEN AND AUDITORS.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Public MEETING of the Electors of the Borough of Marrickville will be holden at the Town Hall, Marrickville, at noon on TUESDAY, the third day of February, 1891, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing four Aldermen (one for each ward) and two Auditors, in room of those retiring by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
Nominations (in writing) must be left with me at the Town Hall not later than 4 p.m. on MONDAY, January 26, being seven days before the said day of nomination.
JOHN HARDY, Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Marrickville, January 15, 1891.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.
NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. ALDERMAN JOHN HARDY has been duly appointed Returning Officer for the forthcoming Municipal Elections.
GEORGE E. GILL, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Marrickville, January 15, 1891.

BOROUGH OF NORTH SYDNEY.
NOTICE is hereby given that an OPEN COURT for the purpose of Revising the Municipal List of persons entitled or supposed to be entitled to be enrolled upon the Municipal Roll for this Borough for the ensuing municipal year will be held at the Town Hall, Alfred-street, on THURSDAY, the 22nd January, 1891, at 7.30 p.m.
W. BARNETT SMITH, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, North Sydney, 15th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF NORTH SYDNEY.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Public MEETING of the Electors of this Borough will be held at the Town Hall, Alfred-street, on TUESDAY, the 3rd February, 1891, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of nominating and electing Six Aldermen and Two Auditors in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867.
Nominations must be sent in writing and delivered to the Returning Officer seven clear days before the day of nomination.
FRANCIS PUNCH, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Alfred street, 15th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF NORTH SYDNEY.
LOCAL OPTION VOTE.
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Licensing Acts of 1882 and 1883, a VOTE of the Ratepayers of this Borough will be taken in February next, on the same day as that on which the Election of Aldermen shall be held, to decide whether or not any New Publicans' Licenses or the Removal of any Publican's License shall be granted during the ensuing three years.
FRANCIS PUNCH, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Town Hall, Alfred-street, January 15, 1891.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Public MEETING of the Electors of this Borough will be held in the Council-chambers, Oxford-street, at 12 o'clock noon on TUESDAY, 3rd day of February next, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing FOUR ALDERMEN (one for each ward), and TWO AUDITORS, in the room of those retiring, in accordance with the Municipalities Act of 1867.
Nominations must be in writing, and delivered to the undersigned seven clear days before the said day of nomination.
Nomination Forms may be obtained upon application at the Council-chambers.
TOM GEORGE, Returning-officer.
Council-chambers, Paddington, 16th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
NOTICE is hereby given that Alderman TOM GEORGE has been duly appointed Returning Officer for the ensuing Annual Election of Aldermen and Auditors in this Borough.
GEO. E. BLACKMORE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, January 15, 1890.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
MIDDLE WARD.
NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS.
Alderman THOS. ROBT. SCOTT, who has served you well during the last seven years, is a CANDIDATE for Re-election, and respectfully requests your votes and influence.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Open Court for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists of the Borough for 1891-2 will be held at the Council-chambers, Oxford-street, on THURSDAY Next, the 22nd instant, at 4.30 p.m.
GEO. E. BLACKMORE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, 16th January, 1891.

BOROUGH of PADDINGTON, Glenmore Ward.—A MEETING of the supporters of Alderman J. MAHONEY will be held at Bassett's Hotel, to form a committee to secure his re-election.

TO ALDERMAN W. J. BURTON, Esq.
Glebe, December 31, 1890.
Sir,—We, the undersigned, Ratepayers of Bishopthorpe Ward, in the Borough of the Glebe, respectfully request that you will allow yourself to again be Nominated as a Candidate for Re-election to represent the above Ward in the Municipal Council of the Glebe at the forthcoming Election, to be held in February next, and we pledge ourselves to use our utmost endeavours to secure your return.
We are, Sir, Yours respectfully,

G. F. Burcher	Thomas Law
William Roff	Andrew Allen
W. Miller	R. Wilson
W. Curry	George Hilton
E. Wilkes	C. Schultz
Thomas M'Grath	H. Tindall
Thomas Hebly	John Dive
M. Hughson	John Hill
U. Hoddinott	W. Gay
Charles Allingham	Stephen Morgan
Alfred Fisher	Henry Hales
White and James	John Taplin
Thomas W. Knight	William Sterling
Thomas Selway	Thomas Burton
William Illingworth	Ed. Taunce
James Williamson	F. D. Williamson
E. Williamson	Wm. Lloyd
John Lloyd	John Lloyd
Henry Dean	W. Diskey
Patrick Walsh	Thomas Ryan
Mrs. M. Parsons	Mrs. Blakeney
John Doyle	Thos. Doyle
Chris. Swain	Patrick O'Grady
Jn. Brisbane	Wm. Annear
Wm. Collins	Mrs. A. B. Harris
F. S. Oldham	F. Marshall
John Hutchings	W. Herbert
Chas. Sweet	F. Meredith
G. and R. Allum	R. Cowan
G. Griffiths	E. T. Thomas
T. Houlham	Thos. Gould
M. Donnellan	Chas. Windon
Chas. Coates	J. V. Woods
W. Hughes	P. Irwin
A. Jones	John Owens
J. Ross	Thos. Ryan
W. Hunter	H. P. Wilson
Mrs. E. Cleary	Mrs. E. Cullen
J. De Silva	R. Bushby
J. R. Feltham	John Pain
James Kermand	Chas. Kermond
P. J. Shalvey	W. H. Chandler
Fred. Mentor	P. M'Grath
Stephen F. Daveram	John Smith
G. R. Vaughan	Henry Neaves
Francis Johnson	F. R. Langley
C. J. Banks	R. Briant, Sen.
W. Roper	A. E. Welshman
James Dummett	J. T. M'Mahon
Thos. Brown	Daniel Toomey
Mrs. Irwin	Mrs. Mulavey
J. H. Unwin	John Johnson
T. H. Adams	Sam. Elliott
W. M'Dowell	P. Murtha
Wm. Dummett	Wm. Wiggins
Edward Horne	William Wilson
W. D. Banks	James Bryan
John M'Cubben	G. W. Blanks
R. Lefebure	R. M'Manus
F. Ryan	W. C. Brien
William Jarrett	Ambrose Thornley
Samuel Lackey	Thos. Hart
Walter Maidment	John Daley
Alex. Brown	Thos. Costello
L. L. Mitchell	M. Henderson
W. Letton	G. Letton
C. Peters	J. R. Brown
John Handcock	Mrs. Burton
&c.,	&c.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN,—
In response to your flattering requisition, I have great pleasure in again placing my services at your disposal; and should you do me the honour to elect me, I shall devote my best energies to the advancement of your Ward and the Borough in general.
I remain, Yours very truly, W. J. BURTON.

BOROUGH OF PETERSHAM.
SYDENHAM WARD.
To W. J. LOUDON, Esq., Station-street, Petersham.
Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned Ratepayers of Sydenham Ward, in the Borough of Petersham, having noticed with great satisfaction the great interest you have shown in all matters appertaining to the welfare of the Borough, respectfully request that you will allow yourself to be nominated for the position of Alderman for Sydenham Ward at the next election, in place of Alderman Joseph Clark, whose term of office expires; and, in the event of your acceding to our request, we hereby pledge ourselves to use our best endeavours to ensure your election:—

A. Smith	John King
James Henderson	John Somerville
Thos. D. Buddle	Donald Kell
Wm. H. Lassett	Alfred Durrell
H. S. Quarrie	M. M'Mahon
G. W. Smith	E. H. Ellerson
Saml. E. Isaacs	G. W. Boswerd
G. Davis	Harriett Wilson
Frank H. Roberts	Sydney H. Ruddock
William Spencer	John Swinson
E. I. Jacobs	R. Tanner
William H. Paton	Mrs. Leland

3rd January, 1891.
REPLY.
LADIES and GENTLEMEN,—
In reply to your very numerously signed requisition, I have much pleasure in complying with your wishes, and will allow myself to be nominated for the position of Alderman, to represent Sydenham Ward in the Borough Council of Petersham, and shall do my utmost, if elected, to study the wants of your Ward, as well as the whole borough of Petersham.
I remain, Ladies and Gentlemen, Yours faithfully, W. J. LOUDON.
Station-street, Petersham, 15th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF RANDWICK.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Open Court will be held in the Council-chambers, Avoca-street, Randwick, for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists of the above Borough, on WEDNESDAY next, the 21st, at 7.30 p.m.
JAMES ROBERTSON, Mayor.
Council-chambers, January 17, 1891.

COME EARLY to Arnold's Great Summer Sale; half-price; 113 Oxford-street.

BOROUGH OF RANDWICK.
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a MEETING of the electors of the above Borough will be held in the Council-chambers, Avoca-street, Randwick, on the 3rd FEBRUARY, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating and electing THREE ALDERMEN—one for West Ward, one for Middle Ward, and one for Coogee Ward—in lieu of those who retire in accordance with the provisions of the abovenamed Act.
Also for the nomination and election of TWO AUDITORS.
Nominations must be made in writing and delivered at the Council-chambers addressed to me at least seven clear days before the day of nomination.
JAMES ROBERTSON, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Council-chambers, Randwick, 15th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF REDFERN.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Open Court, for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists of this Borough, will be held within the Council-chambers, Pitt-street, Redfern, on THURSDAY, the 22nd instant, at 4 o'clock p.m.
THOMAS CLARKE, Mayor.
Town Hall, Redfern, 17th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF REDFERN.
SURRY HILLS WARD.
G. R. PARKES is a CANDIDATE, and respectfully solicits your vote and interest. A preliminary Meeting of friends and supporters will be held MONDAY NIGHT, 8 p.m. at Spearman's Albert Hotel.
F. A. DRURY, Hon. Sec.

ARNCLIFFE WARD, ROCKDALE MUNICIPALITY.—TO THE RATEPAYERS.—Mr. JOHN H. CLAYTON is a CANDIDATE for Election as Alderman, and respectfully solicits your Vote and interest. A MEETING of the Friends and Supporters will be held on THURSDAY Evening, 22nd instant, at 8 o'clock, at the Town Hall, Rockdale, for the purpose of forming a Committee to secure his return.

ROCKDALE WARD.—TO THE ELECTORS. ALDERMAN THOMAS A. PRICE is a Candidate for re-election and respectfully solicits your vote and interest. A Committee Meeting will be held on TUESDAY NIGHT, 20th instant, at the Town Hall, Rockdale.
A. G. CARRUTHERS, Hon. Sec.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF STRATHFIELD.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a MEETING of the Electors of the MUNICIPAL DISTRICT of STRATHFIELD will be held at the Council-chambers, Homebush-road, Homebush, on TUESDAY, the second day of February next, at the hour of 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of nominating and electing two Aldermen and two Auditors in the places of those retiring as by law required.
Nominations must be in writing, and must be delivered to me seven days at least before the day of nomination.
JOHN HINCHCLIFF, Mayor and Returning Officer.
Strathfield Council-chambers, Homebush-road, Homebush, 16th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF WOOLLAHRA.
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Municipalities Act of 1867, a MEETING of the Electors of this Borough will be holden at the Council chambers, Ocean-street, on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of February Next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing Four Aldermen and Two Auditors in the place of those retiring.
Nominations must be in writing, and delivered to me seven days at least before the said day of nomination.
W. J. TRICKETT, Returning Officer.
Council-chambers, Woollahra, January 17, 1891.

BOROUGH OF WOOLLAHRA.
NOTICE is hereby given that an OPEN COURT for the purpose of Revising the Municipal Lists of this Borough for 1891-2 will be held at the Council chambers, Ocean-street, on THURSDAY, the 22nd instant, at 5.30 p.m.
C. A. VIVIAN, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Woollahra, January 17, 1891.

BOROUGH OF WILLOUGHBY.
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the 66th section of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a MEETING of the Electors of the abovenamed Borough will be held at the Council-chambers, Mowbray-road, Willoughby, at 12 noon on TUESDAY 3rd February, 1891, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing three Aldermen, one for each Ward, and two Auditors for the Borough, in place of those retiring.
NOMINATIONS must be in writing, and delivered to me seven clear days at least before the said day of Nomination.
THOMAS T. FORSYTH, Alderman and Returning Officer.
Willoughby, 16th January, 1891.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.
NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867, that a MEETING of the Electors of the several Wards of the Borough of Waverley will be held at the Council-chambers, Bondi-road, on TUESDAY, the third day of February next, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing four Aldermen and two Auditors in the room of those retiring, as stated hereunder:—
ALDERMEN—
Bondi Ward ... Alderman J. W. HENWOOD
Waverley Ward ... Alderman THOMAS READ
Nelson Ward ... Alderman FRANK GUEST
Lawson Ward ... Alderman MANES CANNON.
AUDITORS—
WILLIAM P. DAWSON, Esq.
WILLIAM C. HINWOOD, Esq.
Nominations, in writing, addressed to the Returning Officer, must be delivered at the Council-chambers, Waverley, seven days at least before the day of nomination.
JOHN MACPHERSON, Returning Officer.
Chesterfield, Waverley, January 15th, 1891.

Meetings.

SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF DESTITUTE CHILDREN, RANDWICK.
The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Society for the Relief of Destitute Children will be held at the Asylum, Randwick, on WEDNESDAY, 28th instant, at 3 p.m.
BUSINESS:
1. Annual Report of the Directors for 1890.
2. Treasurer's Balance-sheet.
3. Appointment of Office-bearers for 1891.
4. Election of Four Directors in accordance with the by-laws.
5. Transaction of such other business as may be submitted by the Board of Directors.
JOSEPH COULTER, Superintendent and Secretary.
Randwick Asylum, January 10, 1891.

HAWKESBURY BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.
The Annual MEETING of Members of the above Society will be held on THURSDAY, the 12th February, 1891, at the Institution, Macquarie-street, Windsor, at 2 o'clock p.m., to receive the report of the Committee of Management for the past year, and for the Election of Officers for the ensuing year.
Applications for the office of Surgeon must be made 14 days prior to the meeting.
Hon. Sec. pro tem., H. B. Society.

NORTH SHORE HOSPITAL.
A special MEETING of the Subscribers to the North Shore Hospital will be held on WEDNESDAY, 21st January, 1891, at 8 p.m., in the Masonic Hall, Walker-street, North Sydney.
Business:
Adoption of a new Code of Rules.
FRANK W. SYER, Hon. Sec.

PROPOSED FLETCHER MEMORIAL.
Old Newingtonians and other friends interested in the above are requested to MEET at the Centenary Hall, York-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, the 20th instant, at 4.30 p.m., for the purpose of considering the most suitable way of perpetuating the memory of the late Rev. Principal Fletcher.
W. W. J. O'REILLY.

PRELIMINARY MEETING to be held at Rainford's Hotel, 8 p.m., MONDAY, 19th JANUARY, 1891, to make arrangements for Monster Meeting of Ratepayers, to be held at the Town Hall, to protest against the use of their funds in the way proposed by the Moore-street Improvement Act.
J. MASON, Chairman.
F. HOLMES, Secretary pro tem.

FURNITURE Trade Society meets Temperance Hall, Monday, 19th. Important business. Full attend.

NEW SOUTH WALES LOCAL OPTION LEAGUE.
EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING.
MONDAY, 19th JANUARY, at 3.30 p.m.
TEMPERANCE HALL, Pitt-street, Sydney.—Members' Meeting. To receive report, elect officers, &c., and confer with Temperance Orders on future action.
MONDAY, 19th JANUARY, at 8 p.m.
TEMPERANCE HALL, Pitt-street.—Public Meeting, to which all friends of the League are cordially invited. Several prominent M.s.P. and citizens will speak on important matters.
TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 7.45 p.m.
BANQUET at Grand Central Coffee Palace, Clarence-street, opposite G.P.O. Guests are respectfully requested to be punctual.
EDWARD J. H. KNAPP, Hon. Sec.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.
The Annual MEETING of the Australian Jockey Club, will be held at the offices of the Club, 14 Castlereagh-street Sydney, on MONDAY, January 19, 1891, at 4 o'clock p.m.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Committee's Report and Treasurer's Balance-sheet.
To elect a Committee and Two Auditors.
Mr. W. C. Hill has given notice that he will move that rule 11a of the Club be struck out, and the following be substituted in its stead:—"Members proposed and elected after the 19th January, 1891, shall pay an entrance fee of £10 10s."
Mr. P. J. Hourigan has given notice that he will move,—"That in view of the fact that the danger to which visitors by tram to the Randwick Racecourse during race meetings are exposed in crossing the road between the tram platform and the racecourse gates still exists, notwithstanding that a certain resolution to obviate the same was carried at the annual meeting of this Club held two years ago, it is to be regretted that the Committee of the Australian Jockey Club have treated the resolution referred to with apparent disrespect, and have not exerted themselves as fully as the exigency of the circumstances demanded to have the required improvements carried out."
The Hon. S. A. Stephen has given notice that he will move, "That the seats in the grandstand at Randwick Racecourse be numbered and let prior to each meeting at a charge to be fixed by the committee, not exceeding 2s 6d per seat."
By order. T. S. CLIBBORN, Sec. A. J. Club.

BALMAIN BUILDING SOCIETY AND SAVINGS BANK, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Annual MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, 126 Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 2nd February, 1891, at 4 p.m.
Business:
1. To receive the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1890.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect two Directors in the place of W. W. Knowles and Henry Perdriau, jun., who retire, but are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
4. To elect two Auditors in place of Thos Turner and C. L. Montague, who retire, but are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
5. To transact any other business that may be brought forward.
6. To confirm the minutes of meeting.
By order of the Board. NEIL CAMERON, Manager.

MEMBERS Scandinavian Club are reminded of Yearly General Meeting MONDAY, January 19, 8 p.m.

PUBLIC ME TING, SUNDAY AFTERNOON, 3 o'clock, Bowling Green, Victoria Park.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.
The public are specially invited to the MEETING in the Friends' Meeting House, Devonshire-street, opposite the Railway Station, TO-MORROW EVENING, at 7 o'clock.
Alfred Wright, a Minister of the Society from England, will be present.

THE CITY BANK.
NOTICE is hereby given that the usual half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the City Bank will be held on TUESDAY, the 20th January, at NOON precisely, at the Sydney Chamber of Commerce, Exchange:—
To receive the Report of the Board of Directors for the half-year ending the 31st instant.
To elect two Directors in the room of Edward Wrench, Esq. and Alex. Dean, Esq., who retire in accordance with the provisions of the Deed of Settlement, but who are eligible for re-election.
To elect an Auditor in the room of Peter Miller, Esq., who is not eligible for re-election;
And to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board. J. HENDERSON, Acting-Manager.
Sydney, 27th December, 1890.
N.B.—Any Shareholder becoming a candidate for the Office of Director must give notice of his intention to the Board of Directors in writing, to be left at the Head Banking House of the Company, Pitt-street, Sydney, 14 days at least before the day of election, as required by clause 5 of part 3 of the Deed of Settlement.

THE CITY BANK.
It is hereby notified that EDWARD WRENCH, Esq., and ALEX. DEAN, Esq., two duly qualified Shareholders have given the requisite notice to the Board of Directors of the Bank that they intend to offer themselves for re-election as Directors.
J. HENDERSON, Acting Manager.

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS CITY BANK.—At our Meeting to be held 20th January, one of the Auditors retires by rotation, and I again offer you my services and solicit your votes and interest. R. THOMPSON.

MERCANTILE BANK OF SYDNEY.
Incorporated by Act of Parliament, 1873.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Special MEETING of Shareholders is called for THURSDAY, the 29th January, and will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
OBJECT OF MEETING.
To consider and determine upon the acceptance or otherwise of a proposal made by the Directors of the Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited, to amalgamate the business of the Mercantile Bank of Sydney with the business of the Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.
By order of the Board of Directors. JOHN M'NALL, General Manager.
Sydney, January 13, 1891.

MERCANTILE BANK OF SYDNEY.
Incorporated by Act of Parliament, 1873.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Bank will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 29th January, immediately after the Special Meeting, which will be held at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending December 31, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board of Directors, JOHN M'NALL, General Manager.
Sydney, 13th January, 1891.

THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
NOTICE is hereby given that the eighty-fifth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney will be held at the Head Banking-house of the Company in George-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the twentieth day of January next, at noon precisely, to receive the Report of the Board of Directors for the half-year ending the 31st December, and to take into consideration any other business which may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board. T. A. DIBBS, General Manager.
Sydney, 31st December, 1890.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Third General MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held at the Registered Offices thereof, No. 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 29th January, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive the Report of the Board of Directors for the half-year ending 31st December last; to elect an Auditor; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
For RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, SIDNEY DAVIS, Secretary.
January 16, 1891. (1505)

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT, PERMANENT, BENEFIT, BUILDING, LAND AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.
NOTICE.
The Twentieth Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Society will be held at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, February 5th, 1891, at 8 p.m.
Business:
To receive the Report and Balance-sheet for the past year, and to elect a President, two Directors, and one Auditor, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board. WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.
N.B.—Candidates for the office of President or Director must give 14 days' notice thereof in writing to the Manager.

NEW SOUTH WALES PROTESTANT HALL COMPANY (Limited).
The thirtieth half-yearly MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, on MONDAY, 2nd February, 1890.
Business:
To receive the directors' report, and the balance for the half-year ending 31st December, 1890.
To confirm the minutes of the extraordinary general meeting of 4th August, 1890, which resolved upon certain alterations in the Articles of Association.
To elect four directors in the room of F. Abigail, Esq., M.L.A.; S. E. Lees, Esq., M.L.A.; T. Jessep, Esq., J.P.; and J. H. Senner, Esq., who retire by effluxion of time, but are eligible for re-election.
To elect two auditors in the room of J. Peel, Esq., and W. T. Jacobs, Esq., who are also eligible for re-election; and to transact such other business as may be legally brought before the meeting.
N.B.—Section 82a of the Articles of Association "Nominations to the Directory shall be in the hands of the Secretary at least 10 days before the election takes place."
FRANCIS ABIGAIL, Chairman.
THOMAS LUTTON, Secretary.

THE SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN HYDRAULIC POWER COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Company's Registered Offices, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 29th January, 1891, at 2.30 p.m.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the year ended December 31, 1890.
To elect two Directors in the place of James Angus, Esq., and Lieut.-Colonel Stokes, who retire by ballot, and two Auditors in place of Messrs. Miles and Vane, all of whom being eligible, have given the requisite notice of their intention to seek re-election.
To transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. JOHN FRIELE, Secretary.

PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Ordinary General MEETING will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 105 Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st January, 1891, at noon.
BUSINESS.
1. To receive the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1890.
2. To elect two Directors in the place of Walter Friend and the Hon. Bruce Smith, who retire in terms of the Articles of Association, but are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
3. To elect Two Auditors for the current year.
By order of the Board. JOHN R. STREET, Managing Director.
N.B.—Candidates for the office of Director are required by the Articles of Association to give seven days' notice (in writing) of their intention to offer themselves.

THE FINANCIAL GUARANTEE AND AGENCY COMPANY OF QUEENSLAND, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Half-yearly Ordinary General MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Courier-buildings, Queen-street, Brisbane, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of January, 1891, at 3 o'clock p.m.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended 31st December, 1890.
By order of the Board. J. M. ADAMS, Secretary.
Brisbane, January 2, 1891.

THE CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Head Offices: 95 Pitt-street, Sydney.
The Annual General MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on THURSDAY, January 22 instant, at 4 o'clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors and Balance sheet to December 31, 1890; to elect two Directors in the room of Patrick Stanley, Esq., J.P., and John Donelan, Esq., who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in the place of W. G. Winton, Esq., and William Dolman, Esq., only one of whom is eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. ROBERT KERR, Manager.
Sydney, January 7, 1891.
N.B.—Candidates for the office of Director or Auditor are required to give notice in writing to the Manager of the Company 10 days prior to the date of General Meeting.
PATRICK STANLEY, Esq., J.P., and JOHN DONELAN, Esq., the retiring Directors, have given notice that they are Candidates for RE-ELECTION to the office of Director.
JOHN WILLIAMSON, Esq., a duly qualified Shareholder, has given the requisite notice that he is a Candidate for election as a Director of the Company.
WILLIAM DOLMAN, Esq., and J. ROBERTS, Esq., have given notice that they are Candidates for the position of Auditor.
Proxies must be lodged with the Manager not less than twenty-four hours prior to the hour of general meeting.
The Transfer Register will be CLOSED until the 23rd instant.

CITIZENS' LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Head Offices of the Company, 21 23 and 25 Castlereagh-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, February 11, at 11.30 a.m., to receive the Report of the Directors for the year ending December 31, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board of Directors. WM. ALEXR. SMITH, Secretary.
Sydney, January 15, 1891.

HUDSON BROTHERS, Limited.
The Annual General MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 26th February, 1891, at 11 a.m.
Business:
1. To receive the Directors' Half-yearly Report and the Annual Balance sheet.
2. To elect two qualified Shareholders to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement from the Board of Henry Hudson, Esq., and Alfred Bennett, Esq., who are both eligible for re-election.
3. To elect an Auditor in the room of J. F. Paige, Esq., who retires by rotation, and is eligible for re-election.
4. To transact such other business as may be legally brought forward.
By order of the Board. JOHN J. WOOD, Secretary.
Clyde Works, January 16th, 1891.
Intending candidates for the Office of Director must leave notice in writing at the Company's Office, 2 O'Connell-street, Sydney, twenty-one days at least before the day of election.

MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
HEAD OFFICE: Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 120 Pitt-street.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Head Offices, 120 Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, second day of February, at noon.
1. To receive the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1890.
2. To elect two Directors in the room of Messrs. John Pope and John Broomfield, who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
3. To elect two Auditors.
4. To transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. KELSO KING, Secretary.
Sydney, 15th January, 1891.
Clause 64 of the Articles of Association requires Candidates for the office of Director to leave notice, in writing, of their intention with the Secretary at least fourteen days before the day of election.

MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
It is hereby notified that Messrs. JOHN POPE and JOHN BROOMFIELD, duly qualified Shareholders, have given the requisite notice that they are CANDIDATES for election to the office of DIRECTOR.
KELSO KING, Secretary.

SYDNEY EXCHANGE COMPANY.
The Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the Sydney Exchange Company will be held on MONDAY, 19th January next, at noon, to receive the report of the Directors, together with the statement of accounts for the six months ending 31st December, 1890; to elect a Director in the room of Michael Metcalfe, Esq., deceased, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board. CHAS. H. HAYES, Secretary.
Sydney, December 30, 1890.

AUSTRALIAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.
SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General MEETING of this Company (being also an adjournment of the last Annual General Meeting) will be held at the Company's Office Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 29th January instant, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon—to receive the Report of the Directors for the past half-year.
By order of the Board. W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Company's Office, Sydney, 13th January, 1891.

MANLY GASLIGHT COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at 11 o'clock a.m. on TUESDAY, the 27th instant, at the Offices of the City Carrying Company, Circular Quay, Sydney, to Receive the Directors' Report for the Past Year, to Elect Two Directors in the room of Edward Ridge and T. H. Kelgwin, Esqs., who retire, but are eligible for re-election, and to Transact such Other Business as may be Brought Forward in conformity with the Deed of Association.
Both of the abovenamed Retiring DIRECTORS have given the necessary notice that they are CANDIDATES for RE-ELECTION.
By order. FRANCIS HUNT, Secretary and Manager.
January, 1891.

CLARENCE, RICHMOND, and MACLEAY RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Head Office, 3 Sussex-street North, on WEDNESDAY, 21st January, 1891, at noon, to receive the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending 31st December, 1890; to elect two Directors in the room of John Lyons, Esq., and Walter C. Watt, Esq., who retire by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in the room of F. H. Trouton, Esq., and C. King, Esq., both of whom are eligible for re-election; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board of Directors. RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
January 1, 1891.
Candidates for the office of Director are required by clause 74 of the Articles of Association to give notice thereof in writing not less than 14 clear days before the day of election.
John Lyons, Esq., and Walter C. Watt, Esq., have given notice that they are candidates for re-election as Directors.
The Share Register will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 21st instant inclusive.

THE SYDNEY CYCLORAMA COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at 3.15 p.m., at the Company's Office, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended 31st December, 1890; to elect one Director and one Auditor, in lieu of those retiring; and to transact such other business as may be legally brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board, G. S. BUZACOTT, Secretary.
Post-office Chambers, Sydney, January 2, 1891.
Candidates for the offices of Director and Auditor must give not less than 21 days' notice in writing of their intended candidature.

SYDNEY MEAT PRESERVING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Fortieth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Head Offices, United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of FEBRUARY, 1891, at noon, to
Receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to 31st December 1890, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors, JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.
United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, 3rd January, 1891.

NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE AND OIL COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-EIGHTH HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of Proprietors will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, on THURSDAY, January 29, 1891, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report ending 31st instant, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the requirements of the Deed of settlement.
By order of the Board. WILLIAM HALL, General Manager.
Sydney, December 31, 1890.

PEAKHURST LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
The usual Half-yearly MEETING of Proprietors in this Company will be held at No. 76 Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 27th January instant, at 11 a.m., to receive the Report and Statement of Accounts, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward in terms of the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board. WILLIAM RIGG, Secretary.
76 Pitt-street, Sydney, 17th January, 1891.

THE SUNLIGHT GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability, HILLGROVE, NEW SOUTH WALES.
NOTICE OF MEETING.
NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTH HALF-YEARLY ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 63 Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 30th day of January, 1891, at 4 p.m.
BUSINESS:—
1. To Receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet.
2. To Elect Two Directors in lieu of Robert Amos and James M. Findlay, who retire according to the Articles of Association, but are eligible for Re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
3. To Elect Two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. A. Rose Miller and Cephos Bartle, who retire according to the Articles of Association, but are eligible for Re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
By order of the Board. JAMES MALCOLM, Manager.
Exchange Corner, 63 Pitt-street, Sydney, 14th January, 1891.

NEW KOH-I-NOOR GOLD and SILVER MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the offices of the Company, Stephen-court, 77 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, January 28, at 3.30 p.m.
Business:
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet since the formation of the Company.
To elect Directors and Auditors for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
By order of the Board. S. H. FAIRLAND, Legal Manager.
January 16, 1891.

THE CARANGARA GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Regular Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office, I. X. L.-chambers, Orange, on SATURDAY, 24th January, 1891, at 8 o'clock p.m.
Business:
To receive Report and Balance-sheet; to Elect Directors and Auditors, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. ARTHUR S. LEE, Legal Manager.

PIONEER GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Regular Half-yearly General MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office, I. X. L.-chambers, Orange, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, 1891, at 8 p.m.
Business:
To receive Report and Balance-sheet; to Elect Directors and Auditors; to appoint a Legal Manager to succeed the late G. W. Morison, Esq., and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. ARTHUR S. LEE, Acting Legal Manager.

GREAT COBAR COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirtieth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 2.30 p.m. on TUESDAY, February 24th, 1891, at the Company's Office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for half-year ended December 31st last, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, January 10th, 1891.

NYMAGEE COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the twenty-second Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 2.30 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, February 18 next, at the Company's Office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for half-year ended December 31st last; to Elect a Director in lieu of the Hon. J. F. Burns, M.P.; and two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. J. C. Taylor and F. P. Ford; all of whom retire, but are eligible for re-election, and have given the requisite notice of candidature, also to transact general business.
By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, January 16, 1891.

THE VEGETABLE CREEK TIN-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
The thirty-third Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at their Office, High-street, West Maitland, on MONDAY, February 16, 1891, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the half-year ending December 31, 1890; of electing a Director in place of Alfred Cadell, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election; of electing two Auditors; and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the provisions of the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board. RICHARD CRACKNELL, Manager.
West Maitland, January 12, 1891.

THE BLACKHEATH COAL COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Half-yearly Ordinary General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Beresford-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, twenty-ninth day of January instant, at fifteen minutes past 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Business: To receive and adopt the Directors' report and balance-sheet for the half-year just ended; to elect two Directors in place of Messrs. Webb and Henson, and an Auditor in place of Mr. Tromp, all of whom retire, but are eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business that may be brought forward in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. F. P. FORD, Secretary.
January, 1891.

NEWCASTLE WALLSEND COAL COMPANY.
INCORPORATED BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT.
NOTICE is hereby given that the HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the offices of the Company, South British-chambers, Bridge-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of January instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive the Report of the Directors for the Half year ended 31st DECEMBER, 1890, to elect a Director in the place of Mr. FREDERICK PERKS, who retires by rotation, who is eligible for re-election, and has given the requisite notice of candidature, to elect two Auditors; and to transact such further Business as may be brought before the meeting in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board. F. W. BINNEY, Secretary.
Sydney, January 9, 1891.
Mr. FREDERICK PERKS is the only Candidate for the vacancy at the Board.

WEST WALLSEND COAL COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders will be held on TUESDAY, the 27th instant, at 2 p.m., at the Office of the Company, 99 Pitt-street, Sydney.
To receive the Report of the Board of Directors for the half-year ending 31st December, 1890; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board. J. M. PAXTON, Manager.
9th January, 1891.

VALE OF CLWYDD COAL-MINING AND COPPER-SMELTING COMPANY, Limited.
The Thirty-sixth Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders will be held in the Company's Office, Permanent-chambers, 121 Bathurst-street, Sydney (corner Pitt and Bathurst streets), on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, at 3 p.m., to receive the Report of the Board of Directors and Balance-sheet for half-year ended December 31, 1890; to Elect two Directors in place of P. REID, Esq., and J. DONELAN, Esq., who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election; to Elect two Auditors for the present year; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in terms of the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board. DAVID CHADWICK, Secretary.
121 Bathurst-street, January 7, 1891.
P. REID, Esq. and J. DONELAN, Esq., have given notice that they are Candidates for re-election to the office of Director.
Messrs. A. RAMSAY and F. PHILLIPS, the retiring Auditors, and Mr. T. KENNEDY, have given notice that they are Candidates for election as Auditors.

REDHEAD COAL-MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
Sydney, January 10, 1891.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at noon on THURSDAY, January 29 instant, at the Company's office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for Half-year ended December 31 last, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager.

BURWOOD EXTENDED COAL COMPANY, LIMITED.
Sydney, January 10, 1891.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 12.30 p.m. on THURSDAY, January 29 instant, at the Company's office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for Half-year ended December 31, 1890, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager.

THE HETTON COAL COMPANY, Limited.
The Eleventh Half-yearly General MEETING of shareholders of the Hetton Coal Company, Limited, will be held at the Exchange, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 29th January, 1891, at 2 o'clock p.m. Business:—
To receive directors' report and balance-sheet. To elect two directors in the place of Dr. Wm. M'Crea and A. A. P. Tighe, Esq., who retire, but are eligible for re-election. To elect auditors in the place of Messrs J. F. Paige and Thos. Renn, who are eligible for re-election. Any other business in accordance with the deed of settlement.
J. S. HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—January 16.

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Corinna (s.), 1279 tons, Captain W. A. Pearce, from Launceston, via Eden. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and 2 children, Mrs. Kirkham, Misses Phillips (2), Miss Larkins, Miss Walker, Miss French, Messrs. Phillips, Wharton, Pople and children, Donaldson, Gibb, Burr, and 8 in the steerage. From Eden: Rev. Mooney, Messrs. Dunn, Russell, Campbell, Waddle, Davies, Miss Welsh, and 4 in the steerage. T. and W. Willis, agents.

Wavertree, ship, 2118 tons, Captain J. Towse, from London October 21. John Fraser and Co., agents.

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Jubilee (s.), for Wellington and New Zealand ports.
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[illegible] (s.), for Brisbane and ports.
Wolbore (s.), for Auckland and ports.
Emu (s.), for Melbourne, via Newcastle.
Lindus (s.), for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—January 17.

Port Jackson (s.), for London and Hull, via Kingston, S.A.; Suffolk (s.), for Dunkirk, Antwerp, and London, via Melbourne; Guimbalde, barque, for London; Bonnyrong (s.), for Melbourne and Adelaide; Victorian (s.), for Adelaide, via Melbourne; Birksgate (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports; Tweed (s.), for Tweed River and Byron Bay; [illegible] (s.), for Richmond River; Kallatina (s.), for Clarence River; Rosedale (s.), for Manning River; Emma Fyers (s.), for Moruya and Bateman's Bay; Namoi (s.), Sydney (s.), for Newcastle; Presidente Balmaceda, ship, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle; Casablanca, barque, for Pisagua, via Newcastle.

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Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain W. H. Laycock, for Brisbane, Mackay, and Townsville. Passengers—Miss Vesnes, Miss Franklin, Miss M'Lay, Miss E. Carr, Misses Wilson (2), Miss B. Coombe, Mrs. A. J. Copson, Mrs. Vernon, Mrs. J. Knitters, Messrs. Whitbread, J. Woolley, J. Tindall, J. Ross, Bradbury, W. Russell, M'Lennan, J. A. Caston, R. B. Wilson, and 20 in the second cabin.

Wolbore (s.), 2008 tons, Captain John Andrews, for Auckland. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Beddington, Hon. F. W. H. R. Birchwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Peterson, Mrs. Stranger, Mrs. E. Lambert, Mrs. M. A. White, Mrs. Fleming and son, Mrs. A. Starkey and 2 children, Miss Paterson, Miss Callaghan, Miss M. Alford, Miss E. Lloyd, Miss Higgison, Miss A. Hassell, Messrs. Geo. Holdsby, J. Mather, Chas. Smith, W. H. Brewster, Dr. Dummet, J. H. Moore, R. Holmes, J. E. Yates, G. Adams, T. M. Allcock, G. Bryan, Jas. Dean, P. Gleister, Admiral N. Denison, W. Davies, W. M'Manus, T. Lloyd, W. Williams, J. Robertson, S. G. Alford, W. W. Alford, J. Trolley, Owen, C. J. Swanson, C. E. Clarke, H. E. Beddington, Dr. Wilson, G. S. Macdollar, and 27 in the steerage.

Jubilee (s.), 1688 tons, Captain Richard Brothers, for Wellington, Lyttelton, and Dunedin. Passengers—Miss Ingle, Miss Harr, Mrs. Hocking, Miss Hodgson, Miss Kemp, Miss Firth, Mrs. Cuthill, Miss Cuthill, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Falconer, 3 sisters of Mercy, Rev. J. Hocking, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sutton, Rev. J. F. Orr, Messrs. C. Dearsley, J. E. Ellis, John Morrison, D. Pullar, Swindlehurst, W. Eddy Rowe, Chas. Ellis, W. Thompson, J. Franks, D. T. Williams, W. Murray, E. J. Saunders, S. H. J. Jones, Julius Ellis, V. T. Macey, T. C. Browne, C. Murphy, H. Wilkinson, John Sterah, John Moonlight, Bachelder, Hargraves, and 34 in the steerage.

Port Jackson (s.), 2866 tons, Captain George E. Huddy, for London and Hull, via Kingston, S.A. Passenger—Mr. A. Austin.

Suffolk (s.), 2668 tons, Captain Herbert Longley, for Dunkirk, Antwerp, and London, via Melbourne.

Casablanca, barque, 562 tons, Captain James C. Page, for Pisagua, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Presidente Balmaceda, ship, 1069 tons, Captain Thomas Prowe, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Emu (s.), 616 tons, Captain Robert Clarke, for Melbourne, via Wollongong, in ballast.

Lindus (s.), 1679 tons, Captain Herbert Smith, for Melbourne, via Newcastle, with original cargo from Port Pirie.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—January 16.

Champion, for Tomakin; Enterprise, for Bengle Bay; Rapid, for Kiola; Escort, for Newcastle; Shannon, for Cape Hawke; Sea Nymph, for Manning River.

IMPORTS.—January 16.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices under this heading.]

Wavertree, ship, from London: 28 bundles steel, 22 tubes, 24 bundles tubes, 15 bundles steel sheets, 269 steel rails, 100 packages railway material, 89 cases bedsteads, 160 cases fittings, 17 cases tin trunks, 18 packages tacks, 4 cases screws, 17 bellows, 70 grindstones, 2410 sashweights, 31 packages paint, 17 packages lead, 9 cases varnish, 10 casks colours, 171 bundles hoopiron, 26 anvils, 47 bundles spades, 280 packages and pieces ironwork, 404 cash-cement, 30 cases fuse, 1344 cases, 49 packages ordnance stores, 1538 iron pipes, 13 casks washers, 10 packages forks and hoes, 490 lamp-post legs and tees, 58 retorts, 200 cases empty tins, 25 kegs cream of tartar, 26 cases arsenic, 11 packages drugs, 301 cases explosives, 668 packages 360 kegs and 1400 half-barrels gunpowder, 858 packages cartridges, 250 half-barrels blank cartridges, 66 packages oil, 20 cases paste, 21 packages paperhangings, 5 cases slates, 20 cases toilet glasses, 5 casks putty, 20 crates earthenware, 20 cases floorcloth, 16 casks tiles, 84 casks hollowware, 36 packages paper, 26 cases stationery, 18 packages brushware, 200 cases whisky, 200 cases spirits, 55 cases champagne, 40 quarter-casks rum, 1560 packages groceries and oilstores, 700 packages drapery and softgoods, 17 cases furniture, and sundries.

Birksgate (s.), from Melbourne: 712 packages tea, 50 barrels salmon, 20 casks tallow, 51 pipes-pitch, 120 cases merchandise, 74 cases fruit, 405 bags potatoes, 102 bags coffee, 79 casks oatmeal, and quantity sundries.

Lindus (s.), from Port Pirie, 1570 bags flour, 30 bags wheat, 18 bales sheepskins and sundries. For Newcastle: 31 packages machinery and sundries. For Melbourne: 50 tons maize root.

Corinna (s.), from Launceston, via Eden: 30 bags oatmeal, 14 bundles willows, 102 casks 74 cases fruit, 10 S. wood legs, 2619 ingots tin, 989 bundles straw, 756 bags chaff, 183 bags bark, 100 sacks sugar, 25 bags bones, 500 [illegible] and sundries.

EXPORTS.—January 16.

Wolbore (s.), for Auckland: 18,080ft. timber (hardwood), 2108 [illegible], 50 tons bonedust, 303 bags bones, 20 tons rock salt, 2178 bags sugar, 449 cases fruit, 348 pigs iron, 36 boiler tubes 46 bundles wire, 25 cases whisky, 15 packages machinery, 4 slabs marble, 4 cases glassware, 700 tons coal, and sundries.

Jubilee (s.), for Wellington and southern ports of New Zealand:—1500 tons coal, 16,015ft. tallow-wood 1280 bags sugar, 58 cases claret, 2 cases beer, 1 case whiskey, 100 cases fruit, 1 case lager beer, 19 cases furniture and sundries.

Port Jackson (s.), for London and Hull, via Kingston, S.A.: 7655 bales wool, 14 bales leather, 6 bales hemp, 6283 bars silver lead bullion, 287 bags antimony ore, 305 hides, 10 cases furniture, and sundries.

Suffolk (s.), for Antwerp, Dunkirk, and London, via ports: 4061 bales wool, 1079 bags matte, 89 bags bullion, 39 cakes and 4366 ingots copper, and sundries.

Casablanca, barque, for Pisagua, via Newcastle: 211 tons Newcastle Wallsend coal.

Fitzroy (s.), for Rockhampton, via ports: 470 cases fruit, 100 cases canned fruits, 987 packages salmon, 100 bags potatoes, 50 bags onions, 136 bars and bundles iron, 37 packages boots, 1098 bags flour, 10 cases galvanised iron, 40 cases cheese, 2 cases cigars, 40 bundles hoop iron, 3 boxes opium, 160 bags wheat, 45 packages periodicals, 800 cases meats, 300 cases oil stores, 12 cases clocks, 47 packages drugs, 18 coils lead pipes, 29 cases sewing machines, 12 casks treacle, 3 tanks malt, 36 bundles wire, 20 cases hops, 5 casks oil, 49 packages drapery, 166 packages hardware, 3 horses, and sundries.

Warrego (s.), for Melbourne: 338 half barrels and 1061 cases salmon, 800 cases codfish, 199 packages muscatels, 783 cases fruit, 109 hides, 184 bundles hides, 19 bags skins, 15 bales rags, 4 cases axle grease, 16 cedar logs, 1703 pieces timber, 17 bundles zinc, 60 boxes tin plates, 20 bags quartz, 30 cases oil, 20 cases naptha, 8 cases canned goods, 16 quarter-casks whisky, 165 bags oysters, 23 cases [illegible], 700 sacks sugar, 2949 bunches bananas, and sundries.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards: January 16, Konduska, barque, 1139 tons, Captain Andrew Logan for Shanghai; Hesperus, ship, 1777 tons, Captain J. H. Barrett, for London; Herman Wedel Jarlsberg (s.), 3150 tons, Captain N. Houge, for Brisbane; Corinna (s.), 1279 tons, Captain W. A. Pearce, for Launceston, via Mount Kembla and Newcastle; Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain W. H. Laycock, for Brisbane and Northern ports; Birksgate (s.), 1436 tons, Captain James Higgin, for Burketown, via ports; Warrego (s.), 1452 tons, Captain W. R. Fleetwood, for Melbourne; Fitzroy (s.), 856 tons, Captain J. R. Butcher, for Rockhampton, via ports.

The Danish barque Vidar has been towed to the Patent Asphaltum Company's wharf, Gore's Bay, to discharge her cargo of asphalt from Trinidad.

The Danish barque Olga from Hamburg has been berthed at the Adelaide wharf to discharge.

The barque Southesk has been towed from Towns's wharf to an anchorage in the stream. She goes hence to a South Australian port to load grain home.

Captain James Higgin reports that the steamer Birksgate left Melbourne at 5.19 p.m. on the 13th, cleared Port Phillip Heads at 8.30 p.m., passed Wilson's Promontory at 6.30 a.m. on the 14th, Gabo Island at 12.25 a.m. on the 15th, Montague Island at 5.50 a.m. on the 15th, and entered Sydney Heads at 12.30 p.m., arriving at the wharf at 1.30 a.m. on the 16th. Experienced light variable winds and smooth sea throughout.

Captain W. A. Pearce reports that the steamer Corinna left Launceston at 4.30 p.m. on the 13th instant, cleared the Heads at 7.30 p.m., and arrived at Eden at 1.45 a.m. on the 15th; left again at 4.15 a.m.; passed Jervis Bay at 8.5 p.m. on the 15th; and entered Sydney Heads at 2.10 a.m. on the 16th instant, arriving at the company's wharf at 2.50 a.m. Experienced moderate S.E. winds and fine weather in the straits; from Eden light northerly winds to Montague Island; then brisk easterly winds and cloudy weather to arrival.

Captain H. Smith reports that the steamer Lindus left Port Pirie on Sunday, the 11th instant, at 4.30 a.m.; passed Backstairs Passage at 5 a.m. on the 12th, Cape Nelson at 5.7 a.m. on the 13th, Cape Otway at 3.5 p.m. same day, Wilson's Promontory at 3.55 a.m. on the 14th; rounded Gabo Island at 2.32 a.m. on the 15th, and entered Sydney Heads at 7 a.m. on the 16th. Had fresh S.W. wind and high sea to Cape Otway, thence moderate variable winds and cloudy weather to arrival.

Captain J. Magee reports that the steamer Kallatina crossed the Clarence bar on Wednesday the 14th instant, at 2 p.m., and arrived in Sydney on Friday, the 16th, at 4.15 a.m. Cargo: 126 bales wool, 315 hides, 3 bales skins, 6 hogsheads tallow, 50 hogsheads spirits, 94 bags bark, 5 bags bones, 6 bags horns, 25 cases eggs, 10 coops fowls, 1573 water melons, 20 cases fruit, 15 bags oysters, 31 pigs, and sundries.

Captain R. J. Skinner reports that the steamer Newcastle left Newcastle at 11.47 p.m. on the 15th instant, and arrived at the company's Sydney wharf at 5.5 a.m. on the 16th. Experienced moderate easterly winds, cloudy and showery weather, with small beam sea throughout. Cargo: 50 bales wool, 160 bags potatoes, 10 casks wine, 10 bales skin, 60 cases biscuits, 7 cases eggs, 500 sacks coke, 30 pigs, 30 cases grapes, a quantity of furniture, empties, and 41 packages sundries.

The ship Port Jackson will to-day be towed from the Central Wharf to the French buoy in Neutral Bay.

The steamer Calgoa yesterday took up a berth at the Central Wharf to load for London.

The Chilian ship Presidente Balmaceda will be towed to an anchorage in Neutral Bay to-day.

PASSENGERS BY THE R.M.S. CUZCO.

The following passengers are booked by the Orient Company's R.M.S. Cuzco, 3918 tons, Captain J. F. Anderson, leaving the Company's wharf, Circular Quay, at noon, on Monday next, for London, via ports:—From Sydney to London: Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Harvey, child and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Ford, Mrs. E. A. Byron, Miss E. R. Stone, Mr. E. C. M. Smyth, Mr. C. Barnaschind, Mr. W. W. Heron, Mr. W. Thorne, Mr. A. H. Mullings, Mr. George Gordon, and 40 in other classes. From Sydney to Colombo: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Henderson, Miss Duncan. From Colombo to Suez: Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker, Miss Mackenzie. From Adelaide to London: Dr. and Mrs. Morier, child and maid. From Sydney to Albany: Mr. John Macwhirter, Mr. C. H. Fells, Mr. J. M'Guinness. From Sydney to Melbourne: Miss M. A. O'Brien, Miss Mattie Bennett, Miss Allison, Miss Sykes, Messrs. F. Thompson, E. F. Yencken, R. F. Yencken.

THE MAIL STEAMERS.

The Imperial German mail steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II. arrived at Southampton, homeward bound, on the morning of Thursday, 15th instant, 10 days in advance of contract time.

The R.M.S. Austral, home, arrived at Colombo on January 15.

THE ELIZA ALLAN.—ROUGH WEATHER.

Captain C. Mierendorff reports that the schooner Eliza Allan crossed the Richmond bar at 5 a.m. on the 11th instant, with light S.W. winds. On Sunday night the wind shifted to the eastward, blowing with fearful squalls, accompanied by blinding rain. The decks were kept constantly flooded, and everything movable was washed overboard. The weather moderated on the Monday, and Smoky Cape was passed at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, the 13th. Port Stephens was abeam at 5 p.m. same day, the weather looking very threatening, with much thunder and lightning in the westward. At 7 p.m. the wind was S.W., strong, and at 8.30 p.m. set in southerly strong. At 10 p.m. it was blowing a hard gale from the south, with a very big cross sea, which kept the decks all the time full of water. The vessel was headed off the land between 1 and 5 a.m. on Wednesday, the 14th instant; fearful squalls with blinding rain. At 10 a.m. wore ship and stood W.; midday set main staysail. At 9 p.m. saw the Sydney light on the sky half a point on the starboard bow, set foresail and upper topsail, and entered Sydney Heads at 5 a.m. on Thursday, the 15th instant, and berthed at the Colonial Sugar Company's wharf.

THE LORD BANGOR.

This steamer having been despatched from Newcastle at 2 p.m. yesterday with part cargo of wool, arrived here last evening. It is intended by the agents, Messrs. Dalgety and Co., to give the steamer immediate despatch. She will berth at their wharf this morning, and there being a large quantity of cargo in store waiting for her, it is expected the vessel will get away next week, proceeding homewards via Melbourne. This is one of the steamers which during the late strike brought large cargoes of coal from Japan to Melbourne. The Lord Bangor is a new vessel belonging to the Irish Shipowners' Company, Limited, Belfast, and was built by Messrs. Russell and Co., Greenock. Her registered tonnage is 1981, and the gross tonnage 2001. She has triple-expansion engines, and on a consumption of 31½ tons of coal she steams 10 knots an hour. She is also supplied with all the latest improvements, and is far from a bad looking vessel. She is straight stem and schooner rigged, and the electric light is supplied to all parts of the vessel.

THE PATRIARCH.—SMART SAILING.

George Thompson's Aberdeen White Star line sailing ships are only beaten by the same owner's steamers in their runs from Australia to London. The Aristides, Miltiades, Sophocles, and the Thyatira have established for themselves a grand name, only excelled by the famous Thermopylæ, and yesterday a cable was received adding another laurel to the crown. The Patriarch's arrival in the Channel in 73 days from Sydney was advised to Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., who took the opportunity to notify the Merchants' Exchange, and a bulletin to that effect posted in the room was a topic amongst Captain Allan's many friends. According to the underwriters' cable the ship arrived at London on Thursday last, which would be 81 days from dock to dock.

SHIPPING SALES.

London reports to hand, December 13, note:—

The management shares of the iron ship Blythswood have been purchased by Messrs. C. E. De Wolf and Co., Liverpool, at the rate of £13,000 for the whole vessel. She is 1607 tons register. Dimensions, 255ft. 8in. x 38ft. x 23ft. 2in.; and was built at Port Glasgow in 1875.

The iron screw steamer Earl of Zetland has been sold at about £6650. She is 185 tons gross and 144 tons net register, was built at Paisley in 1877, classed 90 A1 at Lloyd's. New boilers in 1884. Dimensions, 144ft. 8in. x 19ft. 2in. x 8ft. 9in.

THE WAVERTREE.

One of Leyland's ships, the Wavertree, arrived yesterday from London. The ship was originally known as the Southgate. She is from Oswald Mordaunt and Co.'s yard, and was launched in 1885 iron being used in her construction. Captain Towse has command of the Wavertree. He reports leaving London on October 21. Some rough north-west weather was met with in the Bay of Biscay, otherwise the passage in the North Atlantic was marked by fine weather. the north-east trades being light. The equator was crossed on the 24th day out, and the ship meeting with good south-east trades had a good run to the Cape of Good Hope. Here the usual north-west to south-west winds were met with, continuing with more or less violence nearly all the way across the Southern Ocean. The ship's track along east was laid between the parallels of 44° and 45° south, and Tasmania was rounded on the 80th day out. Thence progress was retarded considerably by north-west winds. The Wavertree will discharge at M'Ilwraith's Wharf. She comes to the care of Messrs. John Fraser and Co.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

Brisbane.—Arrivals: January 16, Arrawatta (s.), from Sydney; Euriabla (s.), from Rockhampton; Salamanca, barque, from Glasgow; and Goriolana, ship, from London. Departures: January 16, Barcoo, (s.), Burwah (s.), and Maranoa (s.), for Sydney. The Glenworth (s.), from Brisbane, arrived at Rockhampton on Friday morning. Quiraing (s.), for Sydney, arrived at Flattop Island on Friday morning. Gabo (s.), for Burketown, left Flattop on Friday afternoon. Sikh (s.), Hongkong for Sydney, left Townsville on Friday afternoon. Aramac (s.), arrived at Cooktown Thursday night from Sydney.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: January 16, Derwent (s.), from Brisbane; Dolly Warenley, from Camden Haven; Favourite, from Cape Hawke; Namoi (s.), Boomerang (s.), Garfield, Leila Brook, Gwydir (s.), Wentworth, from Sydney. Departures: January 16, Othello, for Bluff; Pallas, for Valparaiso, with 2100 tons coal; Carleton, for San Francisco, with 1976 tons coal; Firth of Forth, Karawera (s.), for Adelaide; Fairstaff, for Valparaiso, with 2074 tons coal; Lord Bangor, for London, via Sydney, with 2225 bales wool, 1 bale sheepskins, a quantity of tallow, and 500 tons coal; Wellington (s.), for Port Macquarie; Mobe, Isabella, Marie, Annie Bow, Nellie, Annie, Chieftain, Minnie, Glide, Malcolm, Fern, M. L. Weston, Namoi (s.), Boomerang (s.), Gwydir (s.), Sydney (s.), for Sydney.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: January 16, R.M.S. Lusitania, from London; Hohenzollern (s.), from Bremen; Gambier (s.), from Sydney; Paloona (s.), from Launceston; Matador, barque, from Friedrichstadt; May Norton, schooner, from Clarence River; Flado (s.), from Adelaide; Era (s.), from Newcastle. Departures: January 16, Paterna (s.), Coogee (s.), for Launceston; Tenterden (s.), for Sydney; Strathallen, ship, Titus (s.), Tilma (s.), Duckenfield (s.), for Newcastle; Atalanta, ship, Harold, barque, for Adelaide.

Adelaide.—Departures: January 16, Barcoon, ship, for London; Age (s.), for Newcastle; Loura (s.), for Melbourne.

(FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

Brunswick Heads.—January 16, White Cloud, ketch, still barbound.

Byron Bay.—January 16, a schooner, name unknown, at anchor in bay.

Trial Bay.—January 16, Fermoount (s.), Georgina Davies, ketch, at anchor in the bay. Departure: January 16, Tweed (s.), at daylight, for Sydney.

Port Macquarie.—Arrival: January 16, Wellington (s.), at 1.45 p.m. from Newcastle. Passed: January 16, Tweed (s), at 12.20 p.m., south; Karuah (s.), at 4.30 p.m., north.

Cape Hawke.—Departures: January 16, Scout (s.), Favourite, Indian, and Jonathan, ketches, at noon.

Seal Rocks.—Passed: January 16, Coraki (s.), at 11.15 a.m., north; Australian (s.), at noon, north; Scout (s.), at 5.15 p.m., south.

Port Stephens.—January 16, Advance, schooner, Leon and Lillian, ketch, at anchor in Nelson's Bay. Departure: January 16, Kingsley (s.), at 3 p.m., for Newcastle.

Narrabeen.—Arrivals: January 16, Alice May, schooner, and Ettie, ketch, put in. Departured: January 16, Amy, brig, Bellinger, ketch, and Ruby, schooner.

Wollongong.—Arrivals: January 16, Garron, schooner, with tug Newburgh, from Sydney. Departure: January 16, Palmerston (s.), at 1 p.m., for Sydney.

Crookhaven.—Arrival: January 16, Monkdarry (s.), at 5.40 a.m., from Sydney.

Ulladulla.—Arrivals: January 16, Kiama (s.), at 6 a.m., from Sydney; Tonia, schooner, returned to port. Departure: January 16, Kiama (s.), at 8 a.m., for Clyde River.

Bateman's Bay.—Arrivals: January 16, Kiama (s.), at 1 p.m., from Sydney; Emma Fyers (s.), at 3.30 p.m. from Moruya. Departure: January 16, Sarah Beattie, schooner, resumed voyage at 7 a.m., bound south.

Moruya Heads.—Departure: January 16, Emma Fyers (s.), at 11 a.m., for Sydney.

Narooma.—Arrival: January 16, Sarah Beattie, schooner, at 10.40 a.m., from Sydney.

Green Cape.—Passed: January 16, Barrier (s.), at 3.45 p.m., south.

Albany, W. A.—Arrivals: January 16, Victoria, R.M.S., at 5.15 a.m., from Colombo; Victoria, R.M.S., at 11 a.m., for Adelaide.

(PER MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION.)

LONDON, January 15.

Arrived from Sydney: Patriarch, ship, sailed October 28. Arrived from Newcastle: Huntingdon, s.s., sailed October 22, via Geelong November 1, Melbourne November 4, and Adelaide November 13.

Arrived from Oamaru: Margaret Galbraith, ship, sailed October 4.

Arrived from Fremantle: Aberayte, barque, sailed July 30, via Rockingham September 11; Bosel, barque, sailed August 13.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

Melbourne, 7 p.m.
Adelaide, 7 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 7 p.m.
Queensland, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia (Monday via Adelaide), 4 p.m.
Merimbula and Eden, 11 a.m.
Richmond River, 2 p.m.
Byron Bay, 8 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

MONDAY.

India and Continent of Europe, overland, to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Massilia, 1.30 p.m.
United Kingdom, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Massilia, 2 p.m.
Launceston and Hobart, via Eden, 3 p.m.
Southern Ports of New Zealand and Wellington, 2.30 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Macleay River, 8 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

PARCELS MAIL.

Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain foreign countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, George-street, for transmission per the Orient steamer Cuzco up to noon THIS DAY, the 17th January. Parcels must not be posted in a letter box, but must be taken to the Parcels Office, where the necessary declaration as to their contents and value must be signed. Parcels addressed to Germany will also be received at the Parcels Office for transmission per German steamer Hohenzollern, up to noon on TUESDAY, the 27th January.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH.—On the ground, Medlow, Buckingham Park Estate, Land.
HARDIE AND GORMAN.—On the ground, Runnymede Park Estate, Burradoo, at 12.30, Land.
BATT, RODD, AND PURVES.—On the ground, Berkeley Estate, Illawarra, at 2.30, Land.
J. W. PERRY.—At Moore, St. Mary, at 3, Cattle and Sheep.
G. P. BAINES.—At Brighton-street, Petersham, at 3.30, Building Materials.
AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE CO.—At Rooms, at 12, Mining Shares, &c.
W. A. AITKEN.—At Enmore-road, Newtown, at 3, Horses, &c.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At their Stores, at 10, Sheepskins.
T. PHILLIPS.—At 22 Forbes-street, Newtown, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.
E. GIBBS AND CO.—At their Mart, Paddington, at 3, Furniture, Pictures, &c.
J. R. LINTER.—At his Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
M. V. SOLOMON AND CO.—At Newtown Markets, at 3, Furniture, &c.

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The following is the FORTY-EIGHTH HALF-YEARLY REPORT for presentation at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, to be held on Monday, the 2nd February, 1891.

1. The Directors have pleasure in submitting the annexed Balance-sheet and Statement of Accounts for the Half-year which ended on 31st December, 1890.

2. The net profits for the year were ... £132,080 11 6
To which add amount brought forward ... 25,181 14 10
Giving for distribution ... £157,262 6 4

Which it is proposed to appropriate as follows:—
To dividend at rate of 17½ per cent. per annum ... £105,000 0 0
Reserve Fund (making it £1,020,000) ... 20,000 0 0
Reduction of Bank Premises Account ... 5,000 0 0
Carry forward to next half year ... 27,262 6 4
£157,262 6 4

3. The Directors regret that unexpected delays in the completion of the working plans prevented their inviting tenders at as early a date as they had originally anticipated for the erection of the new banking premises in Collins-street. The tender of Mr. James Moore has, however, been now accepted for the execution of the work, in accordance with which the handsome and ample accommodation afforded by the new banking offices will be available to the public within eighteen months from the present time. Meanwhile, the Directors ask the consideration of the customers of the Head Office for any unavoidable office inconvenience they may experience in the conduct of their banking business.

4. The present Authorised Capital of the Bank (£3,000,000) being now fully subscribed, the Directors recommend that the Nominal Capital should be increased to £5,000,000. A formal resolution will, therefore, be moved at the ensuing Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, with the object of increasing the Nominal Capital from £3,000,000 to £5,000,000.

5. Branches of the Bank have been opened during the half-year at Bairnsdale, Birchip, Hamilton, Longwarry, Malvern, Newmarket, Orbost, Sheep Hills, and Noorim, in Victoria; and an Agency has been established on the new goldfield of Southern Cross, Western Australia.

6. Mr. Alderman Moubray, the Chairman of the Board, and the Hon. George S. Coppin, M.L.C., retire from the Directorate by effluxion of time, but are eligible for re-election, and have given the requisite notice of candidature. It will be necessary for the meeting to also elect Auditors for the year 1891.

7. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 19th instant until after the meeting.

By order of the Board,
HENRY G. TURNER, General Manager.

Head Office: Collins-street, Melbourne, 14th January, 1891.

BALANCE-SHEET FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1890. (Including London Office to 17th November, 1890).

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To Proprietors' Capital	£1,200,000 0 0		By Coin and Bullion and Cash at Bankers	£1,718,213 13 9	
Reserve Fund	1,000,000 0 0		Money at Call and Short Notice in London	85,170 0 0	
Profit and Loss	157,262 6 4	£2,357,262 6 4	Government Securities and Debentures	776,544 16 0	
Notes in Circulation		282,519 0 0	Balances due from other Banks	97,689 15 10	£2,647,917 6 7
Bills in Circulation		650,061 0 11	Bank Premises and Furniture		286,960 0 0
Balance due to other Banks		28,961 0 9	Bills Receivable and other Advances		10,896,713 7 6
Deposits	£10,370,571 1 9				
Interest accrued thereon	104,670 0 0				
Rebate on Current Bills	56,674 15 4	10,531,915 17 1			
		£13,831,619 14 1			£13,831,619 14 1

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. (Including London Office to 30th September, 1890.)

To Salaries paid, Head Office, and 193 Branches and Agencies	£40,957 12 7	By Balance from last Half-year	£25,181 14 10
Rent and other Charges	21,000 15 1	Gross amount of profits, less reserves for bad and doubtful debts, interest accrued on deposits, and rebate on bills current	196,574 9 8
Bank Note Tax	2,535 10 6		
Balance	157,262 6 4		
	£221,756 4 6		£221,756 4 6
Proposed to be Appropriated as follows:—			
To Dividend at the rate of 17½ per cent. per annum	£105,000 0 0	By Balance of Profit and Loss	£157,262 6 4
Reserve Fund (making it £1,020,000)	20,000 0 0		
Reduction of Bank Premises Account	5,000 0 0		
Balance carried forward to new account	27,262 6 4		
	£157,262 6 4		£157,262 6 4
		By Balance brought forward	27,262 6 4

We certify that the above is, in our opinion, a true and correct statement of the affairs of the Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited, on the 31st day of December, 1890.

W. H. TUCKETT, W. G. SPRIGG, Auditors.

Certified before me this 5th day of January, 1891.
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THE ISSUE FOR THE PRESENT WEEK, JANUARY 17, contains, amongst other illustrations, the following:—
THE OFFICIALS OF THE AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.
In this week's issue of the SYDNEY MAIL the portraits of the leading officials of the newly-formed Agricultural Department of New South Wales are published. So much importance attaches to the organisation and work of this department that the publication of these portraits will be viewed with considerable interest by the public. The likenesses of the men represented are well preserved, and a fine group of portraits is the result.
THE NEW LORD MAYOR AND SHERIFFS OF LONDON.
Three excellent portraits of the new Lord Mayor (Mr. Alderman Savory) and Sheriffs (William Farmer and Augustus Harris) are given in this week's Mail.
PICTURESQUE NEW SOUTH WALES—THE NATIONAL PARK.
The River Hacking, in the National Park, forms the subject of an excellent engraving in this week's Sydney Mail. The Park is now one of the favourite picnic grounds of Sydney people, who will be pleased with our illustration.
THE LATE KING OF HOLLAND.
This is a very fine portrait of the late King William III. of Holland.
CRICKET IN INDIA.
A series of amusing sketches made by a cavalry officer at a recent cricket match in India will be found in this week's Mail. The match was between professors and students and military officers. If the incidents are faithfully sketched, which we have no doubt they are, considerable amusement must be afforded to onlookers at a cricket match in which natives of India take an active part.
BOXING WITH A PET BEAR.
A boxing match recently took place between a Jack Tar and a Pet Bear, on board H.M.S. Cambridge. It was an interesting and exciting scene, and is well depicted in our illustration.
ILLUSTRATIONS TO THE STORY, ST. KATHERINE'S BY THE TOWER.
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THE DISMISSAL OF Mr. HOYLE.
NOTES OF THE WEEK.
IMPORTS, by J. O. B.
THE AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN ABORIGINAL RACES.
A RIVER RAMBLE.
BELL'S LIFE IN SYDNEY.
SYDNEY TURF HANDICAPS.
SPORTING EVENTS OF THE WEEK.
RACING, CRICKET, FOOTBALL.
AGRICULTURE.
HORTICULTURE.
AGRICULTURE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
SYSTEMATIC STUDY OF PLANT DISEASES ON CHECKING EVAPORATION.
AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES.
CHEMICAL ASPECT OF WINE-MAKING, No. II.
SHEARING NOTES.
MINING NEWS.
MINING NEWS OF THE WEEK.
THE LADIES' PAGE.
A LADY'S LETTER FROM LONDON.
MUSIC AND DRAMA.
SOCIAL EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

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No. XXXIX.
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The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 1891.

A difficulty has occurred at the Riverstone Meat Works owing to the employment of some men from Melbourne. These hands were sent back to Victoria by the Riverstone employees, and on learning this Mr. Richards has given all the hands a week's notice, and threatens to close the works.

The Government have completed the purchase of the ship Sobraon, which is to replace the Vernon as a training ship.

Mr. M'Millan has left Sydney for a fortnight's holiday.

A labourer named Robert Howe was sentenced at the Central Police Court yesterday to three months' imprisonment with hard labour, without the option of a fine, for cruelly treating a horse.

In our London letter, which appears in another column, a detailed account is given of the stirring events in connection with the Parnell crusade.

Mr. Parnell, says our correspondent, remains the hero of the hour, and public attention is still riveted on him and the gallant fight he is making to reassert his supremacy.

The sale of thoroughbreds was continued yesterday at Singleton. The total amount received for the two days' sales was 7200 guineas.

From various parts of the colony rain is reported, and in many places floods are imminent.

At the Central Police Court yesterday a baker was fined £18 and costs for making a number of loaves under the standard weight.

The R.M.S. Victoria arrived at Albany yesterday morning from Colombo.

During the whole year, says our correspondent in his "London Gossip," which appears in this issue, there has been a remarkable tendency on the part of the rich and aristocratic to provide themselves with Sunday amusements; driving out in the summer in their four-in-hands and tandems, and in the winter holding Sunday evening concerts at the clubs in London.

In Asiatic Russia people are dying in thousands from the disease known as black death.

The Chilian rebel fleet is blockading the port of Iquique.

The rebels are trying to induce the army to revolt.

In connection with the shipping difficulty in England it is reported that a number of free labourers who offered for service have been brutally assaulted by the pickets.

The secret of the composition of his lymph has been disclosed by Dr. Koch.

The Sydney Post Office clock has been approved by Lord Grimthorpe and the Agent-General.

The strikers on the Scotch railways are increasing in violence, and many attempts to wreck trains have been discovered.

The English companies, fearing that a surrender in Scotland will cause a strike in England, urge a strenuous resistance to the demands of the men.

The Glasgow authorities will probably proceed against Mr. John Burns for urging the strikers to continue their resistance to the companies.

Offers to the amount of £4,750,000 have been received in London for the Cape Colony loan of £1,190,000, and the average is estimated to be £98 8s 2d.

According to the *Times*, the absence of syndicates enabled investors to obtain the Cape loan at a cheaper rate.

According to a notice in the *Government Gazette*, new postage stamps of the value of ½d, 7½d, and 12½d will be issued, such stamps being of the same designs as the lately superseded 1d, 6d, and 1s stamps respectively, with the new values printed in black ink over the old values.

During the week 48,035 tons of coal were exported from Newcastle.

Our New York correspondent, whose letter appears in this issue, referring to the carriage of mails, says:—"The crack steamers now often have 4000 sacks of mail matter, and as the American post-office gives out the mail to the fastest boat regardless of the line it belongs to, and as the payment by weight now amounts to a very considerable sum, these swift 'greyhounds of the sea' are becoming careful not to leave, as they once did, all together."

The German lines have concluded an agreement with the American Government to have the mails sorted on the voyage, and letters can thus be delivered from those steamers within a few minutes after their arrival in New York, while by the English steamers there is an unavoidable delay of several hours.

The Minister for Mines and Agriculture has left town on a visit to the country, and intends during his stay to visit the Peak Hill gold-field.

A successful trial has been performed by the cruiser Wallaroo, one of the Australian auxiliary squadron.

On condition that the Indians shall receive better treatment from the Government, the Sioux tribes have agreed to surrender their arms to the United States commander.

The Admiralty dockyard at Sydney will, it is reported, be enlarged. The new captain of the Orlando will superintend the works on his arrival here.

The child Queen of Holland has adopted white garments in mourning for the King, her father. This dress, says our correspondent in his Parisian Gossip, published elsewhere, is in accordance with an ancient custom of the country.

The Labour Commission was yesterday again occupied with the examination of Mr. W. G. Spence.

According to the *United Ireland*, Mr. Parnell is making arrangements to abdicate the leadership of the Irish party.

Two gasometers in Glasgow have exploded.

The captain of the P. and O. steamer Nepaul, which struck on a rock in Plymouth Sound, has had his certificate suspended.

A sad bathing accident occurred yesterday afternoon at a picnic party in Adelaide, three ladies being drowned.

Heavy rain still continues to fall in Queensland, and there is no appearance of a break in the weather.

The United States Senate has passed a free coinage bill, introduced by a private member, providing that the unit value of 10 dollars shall be 412½ grains.

It is considered certain that the Free Coinage Bill will be rejected by the House of Representatives, or vetoed by the President.

Speaking on this subject our New York correspondent, in his letter published elsewhere, says it is now inevitable that we shall soon become a silver-standard country. On the very first day of the reassembling of Congress, six different members independently offered bills for the free coinage of silver, and there is a two-thirds majority in both Houses in favour of such a measure.

The Governor leaves Sydney to-day for Sutton Forest, remaining there till Tuesday.

Unexceptionally good business was done in the mining market yesterday, and shares in most of the leading Barrier mines improved in value.

The Customs revenue received yesterday amounted to £8279.

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The correspondence in our columns upon woman's suffrage gives evidence that the subject is not without immediate interest, and points to the probability that there will be a lively discussion in Parliament whenever it may be presented as a matter of practical legislation. At present the question is in the air, but when it is embodied in a bill that is intended, if possible, to be passed into law it will have to be brought down to a different level, and to be treated in a somewhat different manner. We may assume that it will then be seen in an aspect which the letter-writers appear to have wholly, or almost wholly, lost sight of. They have discoursed with varying degrees of originality, force, and learning upon such points as the capabilities of women, their equality with men, their duties and their rights; but it is a remarkable thing that they have overlooked the question, What effects would the proposed change be likely to produce? It seems to have been thought that this is a woman's question only. It is really a question affecting the interests of the whole community, and it is one that should be decided in view of the interests of the whole community. It is hardly to be conceived that a change like this in the very foundations of the government of the country could be made, and that after it all things could go on as before. The probability is that the introduction of a radical change like this in the foundations of the Government would work considerable change in the character and operations of the Government; and that being so, the question, "What would be the probable effects?" is not one to be passed by with indifference or neglect. In the history of electoral reform we have sometimes seen a display of indifference to ultimate effects. Men supposed to be governed by conservative instincts have been willing to commit themselves to what was confessedly "a leap into the dark." What did it matter if it served the immediate purpose of "dishing the Whigs"? But indifference to the possible consequences has not been shown in all cases. The lowering of the franchise has generally been accepted as a part of the traditional programme of the Liberal or the Radical party, but we have seen it resorted to by the Tories with a half-acknowledged belief or hope that "the residuum" would, contrary to common calculations, vote on their side. In such a matter as this no man should lend his influence to the introduction of sweeping change without considering what the consequences are likely to be, and no one who has the good of the whole community at heart should endeavour to bring about such a change as a mere matter of party tactics, or for the sake of party gain. In politics, however, what men ought to do and what they are willing to do are not always one and the same thing. In this matter of woman's suffrage, politicians who do not look upon it with indifference will consider in what way it would be likely to act for or against their particular purposes and aims; and people who look rather to the general interest than to sectional or party interests would do well, therefore, to consider what the results of the change would probably be from both points of view.

In a certain degree the extension of the franchise to women would be a taking a leap into the dark. No one can foretell with precision what the effects would be. It is curious to observe that the bill brought forward by the Premier last session contains a striking illustration of the uncertainty surrounding the introduction of the proposed change. The bill embodies the principle of one man one vote, which, if it means anything, signifies that every elector is entitled to an equal measure of voting power with every other elector, not only at the polls but also in Parliament. That is to say, if two thousand electors return a member in one electorate, there should be one member for every two thousand electors in every other electorate. This is acknowledged in the bill, which cuts the colony up into a large number of one-member electorates, so as to give an approximately equal representation to the same number in each. But the calculation is made on the basis of a franchise limited to men, and as the bill, if carried, would add an unknown number of women—more in some districts and less in others—the theory of equal proportion would be at once upset. There is an element of uncertainty under the present system as to the number of electors who go to the poll. The proportion varies from time to time with changing circumstances. All that can be said with assurance beforehand is that many of the electors will not vote. The same thing might certainly be said if the franchise were given to women. But how many would vote, and how many not, is a matter of greater uncertainty than it is in the case of the men, and thus it is possible that in the distribution of the representation, even if the appearance of equal apportionment were obtained in theory, the men in some electorates would gain an undue proportion of political power because their districts contained a larger number of women whose votes were never given. It would be a mistake to dogmatise on this matter; but there is room for forecast nevertheless, and it is not mere idle speculation to say that probably as a rule a large proportion of the women entrusted with the franchise would fail to exercise it. Unaccustomed to the consideration of political questions, unacquainted with the relative merits or demerits of political men, with their time and their attention occupied by matters of more congenial character and stronger interest, numbers of them, and probably larger numbers than amongst the men, would, as a rule, leave politics and the politicians to take care of themselves. But every rule has its exceptions, and in this case where would the exceptions most probably be found? Here again no one can speak with certainty. All that can be done is to form a judgment as to probabilities in the light of the facts of ordinary life. Doubtless there would be women, as there are men, who, having the franchise, would form independent conclusions and give independent votes. But the probability is that amongst the women, even more than amongst the men, the majority of votes actually recorded would not be the expression of independent opinions, but would be practically given at second-hand, and be the result of influence either unconsciously exercised or deliberately and systematically applied. If this were the case, the admission of women to the polls would not make the elections a more accurate representation of the intelligent judgment of the country, but would rather tend to give increased power to the agencies and organisations which even now strive to succeed, and sometimes do succeed, by the control of a gregarious vote.

It would be a grave mistake to suppose that this is a question to be decided on the ground of rights alone. In primitive conditions of life the distinction between might and right is not always recognised. In the artificial conditions of civilised society rights have to be defined and recognised by the law, which is theoretically framed in the interest of the community as a whole. The rights of the existing electors are rights conferred by the law within defined limits. They were conferred, and are limited, in the interest of the community. If that interest required their further limitation, the power that made the law could alter it. If the franchise were widened by the inclusion of another class of electors, it would be because the law-making power considered that the interests of the community would be served thereby. Before taking such a step, therefore, there should be a careful consideration of its probable effects. How would extension of the franchise to women operate? Would it tend to strengthen our political system by bringing an accession of instructed intelligence to the polls, or would it enlarge the proportion of the electors already subject to outside influences? Would it promote independent voting, or would it strengthen the influence of societies, and organisations, churches, and priests? In other words, would it tend to remove the political centre of gravity, and to destroy the balance of political power; and, if so, would that change be for good or for evil?

No one who attended the levée at the reception of his Excellency on Thursday could have failed to recognise how utterly unfit the present Government House is for its purpose. The occasion was one of a representative public function, when the leading men of the colony went for the first time to pay their respects to the new-coming representative of Her Majesty. If a parallel function were sought, a sufficiently close one might be found in the reception held at White House after the election of a new President, when the head of the State meets its prominent members for the first time in his representative capacity. It need hardly be said that the occasion is one that calls for a certain measure of circumstance, or at least of decorum; but it is beyond question that these features must be conspicuous rather by their absence in such a crush as was witnessed on the arrival of Lord Jersey for the first time at Government House. It was shown once more that the building is miserably inadequate for its public purpose. Both in point of space and in form it is undeniably faulty. The scene on Thursday was one of discomfort and overcrowded confusion, and the most ordinary arrangements for the reception of the public were wanting. At a private social function the least careful host would be particular about providing the necessary accommodation for the movable gear of his guests. At Government House there was not provision even for the bestowal of the visitors' hats, and the result of the resourceful expedient of those who, in default of a more suitable place, deposited their hats and overcoats on the floor of one apartment, was perhaps hardly so becoming as it was ingenious, and, in its results, picturesque. There was found to be an absolute want of practicable corridors and passages between the rooms, and leading to that where the reception was held, so that as usual the bar-

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headed visitor was allowed to circulate at his sweet will round the outside of the building, and take his chances of the weather.

The fact is that our Government House belongs to a past era. It was first used, as probably few persons now remember, on Queen's Birthday, 1843, Sir GEORGE GIPPS being the first occupant. That was a good thirteen years before the era of responsible government, and so far as the difference not so much in time as in the spirit of the period is concerned, it might have been fifty. Undoubtedly, the Government House that Sir GEORGE GIPPS moved into on that particular anniversary of the birthday of her Majesty was a palatial edifice enough for the colony and the time. Those were the days of military Governors, when the colony was a military station. The population was not a fraction of what it is to-day, its character was different, its wealth was comparatively nominal, and society as such was restricted to a very small circle of officers and officials and leading merchants. Neither the architect nor the Governor of that day, however proud he may have been of his new Government House, would have dreamt that fifty years after belted Earls would be asked to occupy the same restricted quarters, and that a community numbering 1,122,200 at the end of 1889, with private property to the value of £463,660,000, and a total public wealth of £177,731,000, would be content to house its chief ruler under the roof that did duty for Governor GIPPS's limited household and responsibilities in such different circumstances so long ago. That is how the case stands, however, as everyone who helped to welcome the latest of our Governors the other day must be sufficiently aware. In this one particular the colony has stood still. Year by year we have been erecting princely public offices, like the Colonial Secretary's, the Lands, the Works, the Post Office, the Town Hall, and so on. The old order is changing and giving place to the new in nearly all directions but the one. We have laid the foundation for new Houses of Parliament, and we have even squabbled over hospital sites and a location of the proposed law courts. But the building that houses the chief person of the State, where the representative functions of viceroyalty are carried on, belonging as it does to the same era as the Law Courts, the old Parliament House, and other similar buildings, is permitted to remain just as the architect left it nearly half a century ago. And yet not quite the same. For from time to time the trustees of the public funds have had it borne in upon them that Government House needed alterations and repairs, and so the same costly and unsatisfactory process of patching and refitting has been going on here as elsewhere, until at last it has actually been found necessary to erect a Swiss châlet for the official staff in the park. Here, as elsewhere, the process is expensive, unsatisfactory, and in its results absurd.

It is time we had a new Government House. The fitness of things requires it, and the decorous discharge of representative public functions demands it. We want a building with broad spaces, where the Governor of the colony and his guests may meet on ceremonial occasions, and where the duties of the vice-regal office may be decorously discharged. In the case of the Mayor of Sydney we have recognised the necessity for such a provision, and worthily supplied it. We want a Government House planned and built on something like the same lines, and specifically for the purposes which, at the present stage of the country's development, such a public building is intended to serve. The present building is consonant with the requirements and ideas of another time, but it is an anachronism in this. Its old English aspect might do good service as a feudal fragment in a set scene on the stage—a use, by the way, for which its miniature proportions and gingerbread turrets well fit it. But otherwise it is hopelessly out of date. It has an interest, of course, as recalling a state of things that has passed away, and a turned page in our history. It might even be allowed with advantage to stand, doing duty in some humbler capacity, to amuse the future antiquarian who may speculate ingeniously on the character of the people who could build with so much solidity for so little space, and provide a Town Hall as noble as ours is in its proportions, and so well equipped and appointed in all that is necessary to make it the theatre of the representative civic functions of which it is intended to be the scene, and yet allow the QUEEN's representative to discharge his duties in a set of apartments that resemble a puzzle in stone and mortar rather than the halls of the vice-regal residence in the oldest of the Australian colonies. We hardly need go to other colonies to see how far we are behind the times in this respect. Common experience at every Government House levée makes the moral obvious enough. It is time to give up patching and refitting, and the erection of châlets and out-buildings in the grounds of the vice-regal residence. The time has come when we should begin to consider the desirableness of selecting a more appropriate site, and deciding on adequate plans for a new Government House.

At last the secret is out, and an expectant world has been told the principle of the cure of tuberculosis. Dr. KOCH has spoken, and the authoritative utterance should lay the varying and conflicting theories that have had currency—more, apparently, from the imagination of impatient inquirers and the quickened credulity of the public than from any basis of actual information. As told us by the eminent bacteriologist himself, there is no novel principle involved in his method—"the substance of the lymph is pure generated tubercular bacilli on a solution of glycerine of a strength of between 40 and 50 per cent. It is a derivative of albumen, and not of a tox-albumen," as had been declared professedly on authority, and been generally credited. It will be recollected that it was alleged, with an assertion of authenticity, and as having come from a confidential colleague of the great investigator, that the mode of operation was, that the tubercular bacilli being reared produced a virus that was fatal to themselves; that the dead bacilli having been removed, fresh and living bacilli were introduced into the fluid: that these having exhausted all the remaining nutriment, and themselves thrown off additional virus, were similarly removed, and the intensified liquor having been filtered by pressure through unglazed porcelain, and being introduced into the body of the tuberculous patient by subcutaneous injection or inoculation, was lethal to the bacilli engaged in the work of consumption. This ingenious and rather specious theory is apparently all wrong, and on Dr. KOCH's own showing the principle of operation is that the "pure generated tubercular bacilli" introduced are fatal to the bacilli in possession; something after the fashion of one disease being hostile to a kindred malady—as in vaccination as a prophylactic to smallpox—or, it may be, of "like curing like," if we borrow the formula of the homœopaths. At all events there is something familiar in the theory; more so than in the seemingly novel discovery of the liquor in which the bacilli float being poisonous to similar germs. It is needless to say that the disclosure of the principle accepted by Dr. KOCH does not give any additional guarantee to the certainty of the cure; but the knowledge of it will be of unquestionable service to thousands of other inquirers, who will be sure to put it to the keenest tests, and so help to solve the question whether it is really a remedy for tubercular consumption. The conflict of evidence as to the efficacy of the remedy is now accounted for in the fact that many were experimenting without knowing either of the true principle of Dr. KOCH's theory, or the method of its application; while professional jealousy may have had some share in the vehemence with which the alleged dangers of the method have been assailed. We are warranted in hoping that that may be all changed now; and that the theory of cure having been disclosed and the vast crowd of scientists and medical men assembled at Berlin having begun to scatter towards their several homes, each with the knowledge of the theory and practice of the cure in his possession, it will be open to the whole world to apply to the secret the touchstone of truth.

Thanks to the advance of the age, the ominous name of the "Black Death" has not those terrors for us which it brought to our forefathers some centuries ago. Our cable messages tell us that the "Black Death" is raging in Asiatic Russia from Samarcand to the mouth of the Obi, and that the people are dying in thousands; and though we cannot, under the influence of our feelings of common humanity, feel otherwise than sorrow for the unhappy victims of this terrible calamity, we may happily regard with indifference the threatened reappearance of a mysterious visitor that five centuries ago swept away in various parts of Europe three-fourths of the population. For we have learned the secret of arresting the progress of pestilence, that seems to have invariably had its cradle in the far East, and which is unable to travel unless provided in its march with those filthy and insanitary conditions that are still characteristic of Oriental life. Whether under the once familiar name of "Black Death," or "the Plague," or otherwise, these Eastern pestilences are become to us now but a tradition; even cholera, the latest of them in their virulent form, has been gradually yielding to defensive operations to such an extent that its halting progress over Continental Europe has come to be virtually barred by the "silver streak" that guards the British Islands. And even a malady like the "Grippe," which had its origin in the submerged plains of China, and found travelling subsistence in the insanitary hamlets and villages of Russia, when it reached the home of the Anglo-Saxon in Europe or Australia had become so attenuated by the fatal purity of the atmosphere that its seizure, as a general thing, passed into a subject for jest. The secret of all this is known to everyone; cleanliness is the foe of pestilence, and if there is one truth of practical science that beyond all others has been proved to a demonstration by experience, it is that with pure air and pure water, and plenty of both, we can bid defiance to all the plagues and pestilences that were the terror of our forefathers. So thoroughly, indeed, is this truth established, and such a hold is it getting on the public mind, that the probabilities are that in a generation or two people will talk of typhoid and typhus and smallpox and diphtheria with as much interested and curious wonder as we now do of "Black Death" and "the Plague."

Cases in the Police Court often reveal the inherent brutality that may remain in a man's nature despite the surroundings of civilised life; and one of the most notable of the kind was that in which a man was yesterday convicted and punished for cruelty to a horse. The evidence showed that the man had thrown the animal down and broken his whip with beating it on the head, and the magistrate, moved by a righteous indignation, inflicted the heaviest penalty within his power to impose, namely, three months' imprisonment with hard labour. While there are so many cases of violent crime being virtually condoned in our minor courts by inadequate punishments, there is a pleasure in congratulating a magistrate for giving practical expression to what must be the feeling of every right-minded citizen in relation to such an outrage; for, unhappily, offences of this kind are all too prevalent, and but a very small proportion are ever brought under the cognisance of the courts, and a far smaller proportion are punished as they deserve. A man who would inflict such torture on a dumb and helpless creature would give the same vent to his passion on a fellow-creature if he dared, and the ungovernable temper exhibited in this case is exactly that which commits more serious crimes. A few such punishments as that which was yesterday meted out would give a salutary lesson to men in whom "the ape and tiger" are still predominant; and we trust that the example set in the Central Police Court will be followed, until the lesson is thoroughly learned that weakness and helplessness, whether in man or beast, are under the protection of the law, and that its arm is stronger than that of any ruffian whose evil nature if it durst would be a law unto itself.

THE Right Hon. the Earl of Jersey will proceed to Sutton Forest to-day, and will remain there until next Tuesday morning, when he will come down to attend the meeting of the Executive Council. His Excellency will be accompanied by Lady Alice Shaw Stewart, and Mr. Shaw Stewart, M.P., and attended by Captain the Hon. Rupert Leigh, A.D.C., and Captain Cholmondeley, A.D.C. The arrangements connected with the journey had not at a late hour last evening been finally decided upon, but it was in contemplation that the vice-regal party should be conveyed by a special train, which should include the State coach, and that the train should start from Redfern about half-past 2 or 3 o'clock this afternoon. Moss Vale will probably be reached at about 6 o'clock in the evening.

AT the last meeting of the Cabinet Sir Henry Parkes was empowered to purchase the sailing vessel Sobraon, at present in Melbourne. This boat is to replace the Vernon as a nautical school ship. It is understood that the purchase of the vessel from Captain Ermelle has been completed, but the price paid has not been made known.

IT is thought probable that Captain Fitte, of H.I.G.M.S.S. Sperber, will make an official call upon the Governor this morning.

MR. WILLIAM M'MILLAN, the Colonial Treasurer, has gone to Melbourne, en route for Tasmania, where he will spend a fortnight's holiday. Mr. Sydney Smith, the Minister for Mines and Agriculture, is at his country residence, west of Bathurst. He will be away from Sydney for several days, and while absent it is his intention to visit the Peak Hill and other goldfields.

THE Union Club having intimated that it would afford it very much pleasure to entertain the Earl of Jersey at dinner, his Excellency has, we learn, signified his willingness to attend a gathering of that nature on Friday, the 23rd instant.

THE Postmaster-General has received notification from the postmaster at Drake that the mail due from Casino and Tabulam did not reach Drake on Thursday night, and that Tabulam reports the mailman could not cross Black Creek. The mails from Tenterfield arrived at Drake yesterday morning, but were laying at that office, as there was no prospect of despatching them for the present. The postmaster recommends that the Richmond River mails be discontinued on that route until the creeks are passable, as it was still raining very heavily. The postmaster at Casino telegraphs that since last Saturday it has been raining heavily, and it was still falling steadily. The mail routes will be blocked in a few days. The river is up to 24ft.

IN consequence of the flooded state of the country between Casino and Tabulam, until further notice, the mails for the Richmond River district from Sydney will be sent per steamer via Harwood Island thrice a week (Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday), except those for Casino, which will be forwarded via Lawrence on Tuesdays and Saturdays.

MR. J. C. ELLIS and three other members of the Stock Exchange of New South Wales waited on the Postmaster-General yesterday morning and again urged upon him the necessity for erecting a special telegraph wire between the stock exchanges of Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide. The Department a few days ago suggested that the bodies in question should co-operate with the Stock Exchange of Sydney on the matter, and yesterday's deputation represented that the Stock Exchange of New South Wales would be willing to do so in any practicable manner. Mr. O'Connor pointed out that, so far as Adelaide was concerned, the telegraph line via Wentworth, would be completed to within 200 miles of the South Australian capital within the next month. This extra convenience would greatly facilitate the transaction of business with Adelaide. Referring to the request for a special line to Melbourne, the Postmaster-General recommended the deputation to supply him with an estimate of the amount of business which was likely to be transacted between the two exchanges. When supplied with this he would be in a better position to fully consider the request made.

THE Railway Commissioners have completed the arrangements for the series of cheap excursions to and from the country, and it is believed that the experiment will prove a success. The first train to leave Sydney on the 21st instant, will be that at 5.21 p.m., for Tenterfield; the second leaving at 6.25 p.m., for Bourke; followed by a third, at 6.45 p.m., for Albury. Each of these trains will stop at intermediate stations, the first and second class return fares to the leading stations being—Singleton, 18s and 9s; Tamworth, 42s and 21s; Armidale, 55s and 27s 6d; Glen Innes, 66s and 33s; Tenterfield, 76s and 38s; Mount Victoria, 12s 6d and 6s 3d; Bathurst, 17s and 8s 6d; Orange, 25s and 12s 6d; Dubbo, 40s and 20s; Bourke, 70s and 35s; Mittagong, 10s and 5s; Goulburn, 17s and 8s 6d; Yass, 26s and 13s; Wagga, 40s and 20s; and Albury, 50s and 25s. Other stations will be charged proportionately. On the Northern line cheap tickets will be issued from Newcastle as well as from Sydney, the first and second class fares between Newcastle and Singleton being 8s and 4s. The tickets in each case will be available for return by ordinary train within a fortnight from date of issue. The trains from the country, which have been arranged so as to afford residents in the inland districts an opportunity of passing Anniversary Day in the metropolis, will leave Bourke at 8.45 a.m. on the 22nd, Tenterfield at 8.25 a.m. on the same day, and Albury at 2.45 p.m. The fares and conditions of return will be the same as those in connection with the trains leaving Sydney. To enable country residents and others to visit the Hawkesbury, special trains will leave Sydney at 9.5 a.m. on the 24th, 26th, and 31st instants for the river, where the s.s. General Gordon will be in readiness to convey excursionists a distance of several miles up the stream, returning in time to catch the 4.35 p.m. trains for Sydney. The cheap fares include all stations on the Mudgee, Cooma, Molong, Cooma, Gundagai, Hay, Narrabri, and other branch lines, travellers to or from these travelling by mail train between their respective stations and the junctions on the main lines.

A MEETING of the Royal Commission appointed to investigate and report upon the causes of conflicts between capital and labour, and the best means of preventing or mitigating the disastrous consequences of such occurrences, was held in the Queensland Offices, Bridge-street, yesterday afternoon, the president (Dr. Garran, M.L.C.) being in the chair. Mr. W. G. Spence was further examined, and the examination of the witness was concluded. The commission will meet again on Tuesday next, when Captain Napier, a stevedore, and Mr. Doyle, wharf superintendent of the A. U. S. N. Company, will be examined.

THE Mayor of Sydney, accompanied by the Town Clerk, City Solicitor, City Surveyor, and aldermen of the ward (Messrs. John Harris, Meeks, and Fowler), yesterday morning inspected the Blackfriar's Estate with a view to arrive at a decision in the matter of constructing Shepherd-street from its northern termination to George-street west. The Blackfriars Estate comprises a number of streets and lanes included in the Blackfriars Estate Act, which the Corporation recently obtained from Parliament, and by which the council undertook to take over such thoroughfares, and to construct and control them. The City Surveyor has been instructed to prepare a scheme for the planning out of the estate, and particularly to prepare specifications for the immediate carrying out of the improvement to Shepherd-street.

A PETITION has been received from the borough of Kiama praying that that municipality may be divided into three wards—the North, South, and Central. The municipal district of Merewether desires to be divided into four wards, and the ratepayers of Hamilton, in the same vicinity, ask for precisely similar lines of division. Both requests have been granted. Adamstown residents requested the local government authorities, through the Colonial Secretary, to divide their borough into three wards, and this request was agreed to by proclamation on the 13th instant. The first municipal election for the district of Bombala has been fixed for February 7th. Mr. M. A. Emanuel, J.P., has been chosen returning officer for the new borough.

THE question of lighting municipalities by electricity has lately come prominently before the public, and the few experiments made in this direction seem, so far, to have been attended with remarkable success. In support of this view, Mr. G. A. Cranfield, of Young, writes to us giving an account of the electric light and its working at Young, where it was started in April, 1889. This was the first municipality in Australasia lighted throughout with the new illuminant, and speaking of the objections made to the light, Mr. Cranfield says:—"No better answer can be adduced than the fact that those most bitterly opposed to the introduction of the light, have since universally adopted it for their own homes, and now speak of it in the highest terms of praise. The light is appreciated by all classes of consumers, private individuals, railway servants, and gaol officials. The Young Gaol (I assert, subject to correction) is the first gaol in the British Dominions that has been lighted by means of electricity. The economy of production of the electric light enables the council to supply light at remarkably cheap rates, and in hotels where numbers of lamps are used, the comparison between the old systems and the new is very obvious. . . . The capacity of our plant is 1500 lamps. Two-thirds of this number are now installed, and orders are coming in daily, so much so that we anticipate increasing the plant within the next six months." Mr. Cranfield concludes by asserting that experience at Young proves that electricity is incontestibly superior on all points to any other illuminant.

THE annual Art Students' Exhibition, under the auspices of the trustees of the National Art Gallery, has now been open to the public for nine days, and during that period no fewer than 7859 visitors have attended the gallery, equal to an average of 873 per day. The cast of the splendid Ghiberti Gates is now erected, awaiting bronzing.

A MOVEMENT has been initiated amongst the old scholars of Newington College, with the object of perpetuating the memory of the late Principal Fletcher, and, as will be seen from an advertisement in another column, a meeting is to be held on Tuesday afternoon next in the Centenary Hall, when the form which the memorial is to take will be decided upon.

THE R.M.S. Oceana leaves for London on Monday at the usual hour. The berthing accommodation is well taken, the outgoing list from Sydney being in excess of the average at this time of year. All the space allotted for cargo at this port is taxed to the utmost. In the refrigerating section of the vessel 4500 carcases of mutton are stored, and in the lower holds large shipments of silver lead bullion, 1500 bales of wool, and 2100 cases of preserved meats form the principal items.

A TELEGRAM from Albany received yesterday reports the arrival of the P. and O. steamer Victoria from London, bringing dates to the 19th of December. The Victoria has made a fast passage to Australia. On leaving London the steamer had on board, for all ports, between 500 and 600 passengers. A large proportion of these were for Alexandria and Bombay. For Sydney there are 180, for Melbourne 80, and a fair number for Queensland and New Zealand ports. The Victoria should arrive at Adelaide on Monday next, and her mails reach here on Wednesday, the 33rd day after posting.

IN our account of the ceremonies connected with the arrival of the new Governor on Thursday several names were inadvertently omitted from the lists of gentlemen who attended the Levée. The following gentlemen had cards of entrée:—The Hon. D. O'Connor (Postmaster-General), Messrs. W. J. Trickett, M.L.C., and A. C. Fraser, Under-Secretary for Justice; Messrs. Eddy, Fehon, and Oliver, Railway Commissioners; Sir John Hay, President of the Legislative Council; Mr. W. J. Calvert, Clerk of Parliaments; and Mr. S. M. Mowle, Usher of the Black Rod. The name of Mr. W. M. Montagu Arnold was omitted from the list of gentlemen who attended the levee. The Bishop of Riverina was unavoidably prevented from attending. Mr. W. P. Crick, M.L.A., wishes us to explain that he was not at Government House to receive the Governor, nor was he presented to his Excellency, although his name was given in the list of members of Parliament present.

THE losses in stock attributed to the cattle eating of poisonous weeds are often so considerable that the Minister for Mines and Agriculture (Mr. Sydney Smith) is desirous that stock-owners should know that the properties of any such plants as are forwarded to the Department of Agriculture will be fully investigated. Among the specimens already received is one of the weed Pratia erecta, which is a smooth branching prostrate or sometimes slightly erect plant; the leaves are ovate-oblong, with serrated edges; the flowers are small, and dirty white in colour. This specimen was sent by the stock inspector at Forbes, who reports that sheep when hungry eat it greedily, but shortly afterwards show signs of poisoning, and die in about 12 hours. The plants forming the first tribe in the order Campanulacae, to which this one belongs, are more or less dangerous on account of their acrid or narcotic properties, whilst three closely allied plants, Pratia puberula, Lobelia purpurascens, and Lobelia pratioides, found in this colony, are reported to be poisonous to sheep. This weed abounds in a milky fluid, and has been for some time suspected by stockmen in the different colonies of possessing poisonous properties, which are the more likely to cause loss in sheep because this plant offers a tempting bait during summer months when surrounding vegetation is somewhat dry-looking. In addition to poisonous weeds there are numbers of dangerous thistles spreading in different districts of the colony. Specimens of the star thistle (centaurea calcitrapa) have been received from Wagga, Wallendbeen, and other places. As the sharp spines of this plant will, on coming into contact with the body, cause sores which will take some time to heal, it is important that steps should be taken to prevent it from becoming established in wheat-fields. Early attention will be necessary, as this plant produces a large amount of seed, which is easily disseminated by the wind. In the Mudgee district the cockspur thistle (centaurea melitensis) has already taken possession of hundreds of acres of cultivated land. This thistle is reported to be equally as dangerous as the other, and has been sent from many parts of the country to the Department for identification; but it is not reported to be so abundant as it is at Mudgee.

THE monthly meeting of the Charity Organisation Society was held on Wednesday last. There were present—Messrs. E. Fosbery (chairman), F. C. Griffiths, and the secretary (J. Sidney). The report for December showed an increase of 48 applications as compared with the previous month, the number being 189. These were classified as follows:—Married couples, 77; widows, 31; deserted women, 6. Upon the above there were 233 children depending. There were also one single women and 74 single men relieved. Several cases of exceptional distress were dealt with, and further assistance approved.

FOLLOWING are the vital statistics for Parramatta and that part of Central Cumberland registered in Parramatta for the last quarter in 1890:—Parramatta: Births, 77 (males 34, females 43); deaths, 124 (males 97, females 27), including 73 males from the asylums; marriages, 18. Central Cumberland, registered in Parramatta: Births, 84 deaths, 48 (males 16, females 32), including 22 females from Newington Asylum; marriages, 14.

DURING the whole of yesterday the Water Police were engaged at Manly dragging the bed of the harbour for the body of the man who on Wednesday night mysteriously disappeared from the Brightside Wharf. No trace of the missing man could be found. The Newtown police made inquiries in the matter, and it was ascertained that there was a man of the name of Thomas Finney, residing with his wife and his mother at No. 8 Victoria-street, Lewisham. On Wednesday he left his house and has not since returned. He is married, and is 24 years of age. Nothing is known as to his antecedents.

IN reference to the Soane Medallion studentship awarded by the Royal Institute of British Architects, mentioned in a cablegram yesterday, for which Mr. A. W. Hoskings, of Sydney, was bracketed with another competitor as first, we are requested to state that the subject of the competition was the best design for a technical college.

FROM the Photoline Company, of 337 Pitt-street, we have received a calendar for 1891.

THE Rev. W. G. Taylor, of the York-street Wesleyan Church, and the Rev. H. R. Pigott, of the Baptist Missionary Society, Colombo, Ceylon, are announced to preach to-morrow, morning and evening, in the Burwood Congregational Church.

A LECTURE on General Booth's "In Darkest England" is announced for to-morrow evening by Rev. George Walters.

WE are requested to announce that the annual meeting of members of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held on Tuesday evening. The chair will be taken by the Hon. Mr. Justice Foster.

FATAL BATHING ACCIDENT.

THREE LADIES DROWNED.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

A terrible accident occurred this afternoon at Bryan's Creek, near Morgan, to a picnic party. Four ladies of the party went bathing in the creek and fell into a deep hole. None of them could swim. Elizabeth Schell, aged 19, was drowned. The body was recovered. Miss Rose Geerckens was rescued, and recovered consciousness. Mrs. Josephine Schell, wife of Edward Schell, of Randall Town, and her sister, Miss Horn, were both drowned, and their bodies have not yet been recovered.

HEAVY RAINS IN QUEENSLAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

There is no appearance of any break in the weather. Rain is still continuing throughout the colony. Heavy rain is falling here to-night. The Warrego River is running a banker at Charleville. Thargomindah reports over six inches of rain since yesterday. This morning the Bulle River was rising rapidly, and a very high flood is expected. Burketown reports a terrific gale lasting 36 hours, with incessant rain, registering 24 inches. The flood is very high, and still rising. There is no immediate danger to the inhabitants, who are shifted to the higher ground.

THE LIFEBOAT STORM KING.

PRESENTATION TO CAPTAIN JORGENSEN.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

At a meeting of the Marine Board to-day the president (Captain Fullarton), on behalf of the subscribers, presented a purse of 145 sovereigns to Captain Jorgensen, the inventor of the lifeboat Storm King, and also an illuminated address to John Neilson, who accompanied him on his perilous voyage. Captain Jorgensen, in returning thanks, said he accepted the gift in the form of cash that he might share it with Neilson. He added that he intended to return to England to secure the perfection of the invention and its adoption. He had given three years of his life and spent £1000 towards this object, and he required assistance to the amount of £850 to perfect it.

CABLEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

THE AUSTRALIAN AUXILIARY SQUADRON.

LONDON, JAN. 16.

The Australian auxiliary cruiser Wallaroo, has performed a successful trial. She will probably sail for Australia in April.

THE ADMIRALTY DOCKYARD AT SYDNEY.

LONDON, JAN. 16.

It is expected that the Admiralty dockyard at Sydney will be enlarged. Captain H. St. Clair, who has been appointed to the command of H.M.S. Orlando, will probably be the first superintendent of the dockyard.

THE AUSTRALASIAN INVESTMENT COMPANY.

LONDON, JAN. 15.

Mr. Justice North has acceded to the application for a summons made by the Australasian Investment Company, and directed the payment of the balance of the Scottish calls against the Queensland Mercantile Agency to the Union Bank, the bank and the Australasian Investment Company to receive costs.

THE CAPE LOAN.

LONDON, JAN. 15.

Tenders were opened to-day for the Cape Colony loan of £1,190,000, the minimum being fixed at 96. Offers to the amount of £4,750,000 were received, and the average is estimated to be £98 8s 3d.

JAN. 16.

The *Times* says that the absence of syndicates enabled investors to obtain the Cape loan at a cheaper rate.

A TRAMWAY LOAN.

LONDON, JAN. 16.

The loan of the Melbourne Tramways Company was covered to the extent of £246,000, and the average will be about £108 9s 10d.

THE COINAGE QUESTION IN AMERICA.

LONDON, JAN. 15.

A Free Coinage Bill, introduced by a private member, has been passed by the United States Senate. It provides that the unit value of the dollar shall be 412½ grains.

JAN. 16.

It is considered certain that the House of Representatives will reject the Free Coinage Bill, or that President Harrison will veto the bill.

EXPLOSION OF GASOMETERS IN GLASGOW.

LONDON, JAN. 16.

Two gasometers in Glasgow have exploded.

THE GROUNDING OF THE NEPAUL.

LONDON, JAN. 15.

The certificate of the captain of the P. and O. steamer Nepaul, which struck on a rock in Plymouth Sound, has been suspended.

CONVERSION OF NEW ZEALAND LOANS.

LONDON, JAN. 15.

Sir F. Dillon Bell, Agent-General for New Zealand, is arranging for the conversion of the remanets of the old high-priced New Zealand loans under £1,000,000.

THE IRISH LEADERSHIP.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 16.

The *United Ireland* newspaper (William O'Brien's) states that Mr. Parnell is making arrangements to abdicate the leadership of the Irish party.

THE SYDNEY POST OFFICE CLOCK.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 15.

Lord Grimthorpe, the well-known expert in horology, and Sir Saul Samuel have inspected and passed the Sydney Post Office clock.

THE RAILWAY STRIKE.

GROWING VIOLENCE OF THE MEN.

THE ENGLISH COMPANIES URGE RESISTANCE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 15.

The violence of the strikers on the Scottish railways is increasing. Repeated discoveries have been made of attempts at tampering with the points for the purpose of causing accidents along the lines. Attacks on firemen who are employed by the companies are also numerous, and fears are entertained of attempts at wrecking trains.

The English companies urge resistance, fearing that surrender in Scotland will precipitate a strike in England.

It is likely that the Glasgow authorities will proceed against Mr. John Burns for advising the strikers to continue their resistance to the companies.

THE SIOUX RISING.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 16.

The Sioux Indians have agreed to surrender their arms to General Miles, the Commander of the United States forces, on his undertaking to give a promise that the Indians shall receive better treatment from the Government.

THE SHIPPING DIFFICULTY.

ASSAULTS BY THE PICKETS.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 15.

The pickets have brutally assaulted a number of free labourers who offered themselves for service aboard the Aorangi and the Rakaia.

MORNING COCOA.

"Fry's Malted Cocoa does not thicken in the cup. It is perfectly pure Cocoa, with Extract of Malt added, and an entirely [illegible] cup of the Cocoa is more sustaining and [illegible] than a pint of the finest ale or stout." J. S. FRY and SONS, Bristol, London, and Sydney.—Advt.

THE REBELLION IN CHILI.

BLOCKADING A SEAPORT.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 15.

The Chilian rebel fleet is blockading the port of Iquique.

JAN. 16.

The Chilian rebel fleet is blockading the coast from Iquique to Coquimbo. The rebels are trying to induce the army to revolt. President Balmaceda is accused of unconstitutional acts.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL AT ALBANY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, FRIDAY.

The R.M.S. Victoria, Commander Cates, arrived from Colombo at 5 a.m. The following is a list of her passengers:—

For ADELAIDE: Mr. and Mrs. James 2 children and nurse, Mr. Crawford, Miss Watkins, Mrs. Barnes and child.

For MELBOURNE: Mr. and Mrs. Dale and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Learmonth, Mr. and Mrs. Baldock and child, Messrs. Rowen, Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Bussard and 3 children, Messrs. Hamilton, Jenkinson, Smith, Duclere, Fisher, Miss Jenkinson, Miss Lloyd, Miss Joyce, Miss Gaunt, Lieutenant-Colonel Clarke, Mrs. Horner and 2 children Colonel and Mrs. Turner.

For SYDNEY: Mr. and Mrs. Wiseman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Maund, Mr. and Mrs. Beckman, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzherbert, Messrs. Peters, Spiers, Williamson (2), Hatton, Stewart, Borns, Allen, Bottle, Carruthers, Douglas, Milson (2), Hooper, Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton, Messrs. Nicholson, Kirk (2), Booth, Hale, Gidney, Rosling, White, Clarke, Hedges, Colonel Crosse, Lady Crosse, Mesdames Wilson, Fleetwood, Captain Hadow, and Miss Moore.

For NEW ZEALAND: Messrs. White, Shortland, Young, Heussler, King, Williamson, Miss Peel, Colonel Parsons, the Hon. and Mrs. Parker and 3 children, Mrs. Jones, and Miss Pugh.

For BRISBANE: Mr. Hutchinson.

The Victoria also brings 103 for all ports in the other classes.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

Sir Samuel Griffith, accompanied by Mr. J. Munro and Mr. W. Shiels, left to-day by the Pateena for Launceston, to attend the Federal Council at Hobart.

The 26th instant will be proclaimed a Public and bank holiday throughout the colony.

Mr. J. Wighton has been appointed to act as vice-consul for Italy at Melbourne.

Mr. G. E. Upward has been appointed Sergeant-at-Arms.

A proposal has been made to Superintendent Stein for the formation of an ambulance corps in connection with the fire brigade to attend to firemen injured when on duty.

About 9 o'clock this morning the house of James Nicholls, at Phillip's Flat, near Ararat, was destroyed by fire. The charred body of Nicholls was found in the débris. Nicholls was a resident of the district for many years, and had been living with his brother, who was absent at the time of the occurrence.

The Rosedale Railway, upwards of 16 miles long, branching from near Kyneton, was opened yesterday by the Postmaster-General.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

A meeting of subscribers of the Southern Floods Relief Fund, raised early last year, was held to-day to consider the disposal of the balance in hand, amounting to about £1000. It was decided to put the balance to the credit of a permanent fund for the relief of sufferers by floods.

A deputation from the unemployed, numbering between 60 and 70, attended at the Town Hall this evening for the purpose of interviewing the Mayor to ascertain if anything could be done by the council to provide work to relieve the distress of those out of work. As Mr. M'Master was absent from his office, the deputation laid their wants before the town clerk, who promised to make them known to the Mayor. Another large meeting of the unemployed was afterwards held.

The half-yearly report of the Royal Bank of Queensland shows that the net profits for the half-year were £13,254. The directors recommend a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent., placing £2000 to the reserve and carrying forward £1938.

Mr. Tozer, Colonial Secretary, was banqueted at Gympie last night. In alluding to the financial position of the colony he said that sooner than impose fresh taxation the Government would retire, and if occasion called for it there would be sales of public lands to meet the deficit.

A large meeting of farmers was held at Toowoomba to-day, with the object of opposing the new railway freights on agricultural produce.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

The Acting-Inspector of Mines, Mr. Parkes, has been elected a Fellow of the Geographical Society.

Two more small fires are reported—one in the city and one at Norwood.

To-day an inquest held on Mr. Spokes, an old gentleman found dead in a water-barrel on the previous day at Norwood, resulted in a verdict of accidental drowning.

A gentleman in Melbourne who uses a considerable amount of mica for electrical purposes has pronounced the South Australian samples very good, and has ordered a quantity of all sizes, from very small up.

The commander of the Austrian warship waited on the Chief Secretary, and had an interview, and the ship was brought into harbour this morning.

Dr. Morrison, who was placed on the Airlie last evening, reported that two seamen were suffering from confluent smallpox. The first case broke out on November 30, and the second on December 20. He also isolated a man with suspicious symptoms. The doctor and the three men have been removed to the quarantine station, and the ship kept in strict quarantine at the anchorage.

Mr. W. E. Adcock, an insolvent, whose case has been frequently before the Court during the past two years, has been released on bail of £2000.

A deputation waited on the Minister for Education to-day to ask for improved mail facilities to south-west Queensland. Mr. Bews, in reply, undertook to confer with the Postmaster-General.

Last night a meeting of the Working Men's Association, Port Pirie, considered the notices received from Mr. Lambert, on behalf of the Australasian Stevedoring Company, and Mr. Grey, on behalf of Block 14 Company, that for the future the working hours on the wharf at Port Pirie would be the same as at Port Adelaide. "It was decided to refuse to work under the conditions set forth in the notices.

A further improvement is reported in the quantity of mail matter, particularly in the number of letters and newspapers sent to London.

The Government has called attention of lessees for grazing to the necessity of taking immediate action to destroy the rabbits infesting the country.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, FRIDAY.

The Metropolitan Rifle Volunteer Corps have arranged a match to take place at Perth and Melbourne simultaneously on the 14th proximo, between representative teams of their corps and the Victorian rifle association.

Bad accounts have come in from the latest find in the north-west districts. It appears the men on this field have simply overcrowded the place. Only a few are doing well, as only one small gully proved payable. A nugget weighing 80oz. has been brought into Roebourne, which lies 150 miles west of the field.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, FRIDAY.

The Premier had an interview with the Governor at Christchurch this evening on the political situation.

THE GOULBURN CATHEDRAL DISPUTE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

GOULBURN, FRIDAY.

Captain Read continues in occupation of the Cathedral, having men posted at the door. No move has yet been made by the cathedral party. On behalf of the parochial party it is denied that there was carousing in the cathedral on the night the tablet was erected as was imputed.

THE SHEARING DISPUTE IN QUEENSLAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The secretary of the Pastoralists' Union of Victoria has not received any further communication from Queensland respecting the trouble there. With reference to a statement made by Mr. Spence to a reporter in Sydney, to the effect that the union had communicated with the Pastoralists' Association asking them to arrange a conference in both Melbourne and Sydney, so that an amicable settlement might be arrived at, the secretary states that he has received no communication on the subject of a conference from the Shearers' Union, and has ascertained by telegraph from the secretary of the Sydney Pastoralists' Union that no such communication has reached him. The Melbourne secretary states that if a conference is desired on the question of freedom of contract solely he has no hesitation in stating that the Pastoralists' Union would not grant it, this being one of the principles upon which there can be no compromise, and which the pastoralists are determined to maintain at all hazards. He does not think there can be any objection to a conference upon the details of the new agreement.

The following is the copy of a manifesto issued by the general council of the Amalgamated Shearers' Union to-day:—"Gentlemen,—As you will have observed from the press, the Pastoralists' Union has made an attack on our brother unionist members, the Queensland Shearers' Union. This is evidently in pursuance of the aggressive policy recently laid down by the Employers' Union. Intoxicated and carried away by the partial and temporary success in connection with the maritime strike, a section of the employers who are active in the movement have induced the country employers of labour to carry the war inland. Queensland has been selected as the place for the first battle. If they win there they will be encouraged to carry the attack into New South Wales, Victoria, and right across the continent. We have ascertained that powerful financial institutions are behind the new move, and that if money can buy men to fight against their own and their fellow-men's interests it will be spent lavishly. Tempting offers are being made in a plausible manner in order to induce the shearers and others in Queensland. We appeal to every member not only not to be led away, but to use their best efforts to prevent others from going to the colony. It is not because they cannot get enough men in Queensland that the pastoralists are spending money to bribe others to go there. It is not because the shearers there are asking anything unreasonable, or which the employers are unwilling to grant. There is no quarrel as to the terms of shearing. What the pastoralists demand is that the men shall work under the agreement adopted by their union. Unionism amongst the members is to be ignored altogether. The unionists are to be compelled to work with blacklegs, scabs, Chinamen, or anybody whom the squatter chooses to put alongside him. The 28,000 men who comprise the A. S. U. and the Queensland S. U. are told that they must throw over the means that won them recognition of their rights and other beneficial and elevating changes, and revert to the position when each unfortunate workman had to accept whatever terms employers liked to dictate, and become powerless atoms of humanity, acting single-handed against the combined power of employers. A more serious or direct attack on unionism cannot be conceived, and no honest well-wisher of his fellow-men would countenance or assist such a movement in any way. The A. S. U. has always tried to arrive at an amicable understanding with employers, and has done its utmost to secure the adoption of an agreement which would be mutually satisfactory, and in framing which both sides will have been consulted. We have again requested the Pastoralists' Union to meet us in conference in order to arrange matters ere the shearing of 1891 begins. In the colony over which we have jurisdiction no efforts on our part will be wanting to secure amicable and harmonious relations. In the meantime we earnestly beg of members and all working-men not to be led by specious promises to take away the bread from their fellowmen who are bravely defending humane rights from the attacks of selfish capitalists. Recent events have proved that the small ring of Australian capitalists are at the bottom of this movement, but should they succeed others will join in until labour everywhere will be crushed. It is, therefore, a time when workmen's patriotism will be put to the test. By mutual support we are certain of victory, and the aggressiveness of capital will be checked sufficiently to compel the organised employers to be reasonable. The members of the A. S. U. are requested not to accept engagements in Queensland except in accordance with the rules of the Q. S. Unions, and are also requested to avoid interference in the present struggle by refusing all offers from pastoralists who are attempting to fill the places of the members of the Q. S. U.

Mr. Temple states that the A. S. U. is in no way responsible for the disturbance at Echuca. In reply to a telegram sent to the Queensland Union yesterday, asking if the unionists at Cecil Downs had signed the pastoralists' agreement, the following reply was received:—"Shearers Cecil Downs refused sign pastoralists' agreement and left the station. Our men are firm and true as steel." At all meetings and branches throughout the colonies, men are condemning General Booth's colonisation scheme. Only one district committee spoke in favour of the scheme, and upon receiving the letter dealing with the subject from Mr. Temple, it reversed its decision.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

In connection with the shearing dispute a telegram from Clermont states that there is not much change in the Logan Downs strike. Yesterday Mr. F. Fairbairn, manager of the station, saw the men, and asked if they were likely to alter their views. They replied there was not the slightest chance of it. Mr. Fairbairn then informed them that unless they changed their minds within the next week or a fortnight he would return their tickets, as he would not wait any longer.

BARCALDINE, FRIDAY.

The Pastoral Employers' Association's meeting has terminated. It was resolved to postpone all shearing until February, in order to admit of shearers and labourers signing the association agreement. In the event of the shearers refusing to sign, all arrangements are completed for bringing up sufficient labour to work six sheds, such men to be guaranteed constant employment. This action delays shearing until the middle of March. It is understood that the Carriers' Union will remain passive.

THE SCIENCE ASSOCIATION MEETING AT AUCKLAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

AUCKLAND, FRIDAY.

At a meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Science last night Lord Onslow welcomed the Australian and other visitors to New Zealand, a colony which afforded a particularly interesting field for scientific investigation. Professor Gowdall conveyed greetings from the American Association. Sir James Hector delivered the presidential address. He said the foundation of this association was the first truly effective step towards federation. He reviewed the progress of scientific knowledge in New Zealand, urged the establishment of a physical observatory, and said that deep-sea soundings and a proper system of tide-gauges were absolutely necessary; also, a zoological station for the study of the habits of sea fishes, and the propagation of marine fauna of commercial value. Papers were read from Dr. Campbell, of Adelaide, advocating the study of hygiene and sanitary science in the national schools. Mr. Griffiths, of Melbourne, urged Antarctic exploration, and Mr. R. H. Rowe, of Brisbane, spoke in favour of classics being optional in high schools.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

GUNDAGAI, FRIDAY.

Stock movements to-day: 6431 sheep, from Yammabeale Station, destination Yass, L. Thompson owner, W. Harris in charge.

RYLSTONE, FRIDAY.

The following lots of stock left Rylstone during the past week by rail:—10th, 63 cattle, G. Lee, Bylong, owner, to Kelso; 20 horses from T. A. Harris, Widden, to Ellis and Co., Homebush; and 10 horses from J. Davis, Ginghi, to Lake consignees; 14th instant, nine bullocks from R. M. Fitzgerald, Dabee, to Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Homebush; 15th instant, 17 bullocks from G. W. Hardwick to B. Richards, Riverstone. Also, by road, 14th instant, 200 cattle from R. M. Fitzgerald, Dabee, to Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Homebush, J. Doyle in charge; 200 cattle, Buckland owner, Thomas Cross in charge, to Hill, Clark, and Co., Homebush; and 200 cattle, R. Richards owner, to Adventure, Evans in charge.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BATHURST, FRIDAY.

At the half-yearly meeting of the Presbytery of Bathurst, held at St. Stephen's Church yesterday, the application of the Rev. Daniel Jackson, recently Congregational minister of Bathurst, to join the Presbyterian Church, was laid before the meeting. The Presbytery sustained the application, recommending the case to the General Assembly as peculiarly worthy of acceptance. Mr. Jackson, in the meantime, has been nominated for ministerial service in the church. At the same meeting the Rev. James Adam, M.A., who has laboured many years at Carcoar, where he is generally esteemed, intimated that his health necessitated his retirement at the end of March, and requested the presbytery to procure a successor. This the presbytery agreed to do, at the same time deeply deploring that such steps had become necessary, and expressing their great regret for Mr. Adam, who has so long and so faithfully laboured within their bounds.

BOURKE, FRIDAY.

The Land Agent at Bourke collected on the Darling in 1890 £40,860, the largest items being—Homestead lease deposits, £5168; conditional purchase instalments, £2685; auction sales, £1081. The homestead leases applied for during the year in the Bourke district amounted to 1,761,904 acres. This is the largest year on record.

BREWARRINA, FRIDAY.

The steamers Brewarrina and Lady of the Lake having been fast for some time, are now steaming for their destination. The steamer Elfie is leaving for Walgett.

The contractors for the Bank of New South Wales have nearly all the material on the ground, and are preparing to make a good start. The bank is to be built with the latest improvements for the climate, and will cost about £3000.

The midsummer race meeting, advertised for next week, will most likely be postponed owing to the heavy rains.

Mr. Pollard, our resident overseer of roads and bridges, is once more here, and is busy preparing to extend the Billabong Bridge. The contractor for the bridges over Bokhara Creek has had to suspend work owing to the heavy rains.

A large and influential meeting was held in the hall this week to consider the advisability of inviting Sir Henry Parkes or one of the Ministry to visit Brewarrina during the recess. The meeting was unanimous, and a strong committee was formed to carry out the object.

GOULBURN, FRIDAY.

Mr. John Cochrane, a respected resident of the town, died suddenly yesterday afternoon from heart disease.

GUNDAGAI, FRIDAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sheahan, relict of the late Mr. J. P. Sheahan, of Jugiong, took place on Wednesday. It was one of the largest ever seen in the district. The Rev. Father Finnigan, assisted by Father Donovan, officiated at the grave.

MOAMA, FRIDAY.

Stripping has finished. Experts estimate the yield for the district at 17 bushels per acre.

ORANGE, FRIDAY.

Mr. Dean, an old colonist, died at his residence, East Orange, this morning, aged 79.

PENRITH, FRIDAY.

The water-gauge has been fixed on a pier of the railway bridge.

The water supply to the town will be turned on on the 31st instant. Mr. George Chaffey fixes the site of the weir at Warragamba next week, and also of the head works and tunnel, for the Mulgoa irrigation scheme.

TUMUT, FRIDAY.

A meeting of members of the Mechanics' Institute unanimously resolved that the trustees should dispose of the dedicated site according to the provisions of a special bill recently passed. The new institute building in the main street is nearing completion.

Traffic via Tumut Plains to Blowering is entirely blocked by a great washaway of the road above the schoolhouse.

Mr. Milne, of the Mines Department, after inspection of the Adelong and neighbouring mines, expressed satisfaction at the way the works are carried out.

YOUNG, FRIDAY.

Much satisfaction is expressed at the result of the bursary contests, the Young Superior Public school furnishing one pupil entitled to a bursary, and five entitled to the privileges of the High School.

MACLEAN, FRIDAY.

Albert Baker and Harry Fischer have been matched to row in light skiffs for £50 a side, over the Chatsworth course. The latter is a young sculler, and promises well.

The permanent population of Maclean has increased by 100 souls during the past 12 months.

LISMORE, FRIDAY.

Messrs. C. Coghlan, C.P.S., and J. Barry, J.P., have been recommended for appointment as census enumerators for this district.

SILVERTON, FRIDAY.

A very painful accident has happened to a young man named Joseph Davey. He was engaged in the stopes of No. 3 level of the Umberumberka mine, when a piece of rock broke away and fell on his left thigh, breaking it.

The exports through the Silverton Custom House for the past six months amounted in value to £351,387, the principal items being silver-lead ore, £34,165; slimes and copper ore, £5366; wool (greasy and scoured), £96,998; live stock, £163,305. The imports were valued at £128,318, the principal items being live stock in transit from Queensland to South Australia, £55,690; live stock for consumption, £27,620; hay, &c., £5104; other merchandise, £35,504.

KATOOMBA, FRIDAY.

Mr. P. Sydney Nott, surveyor, is now busily engaged taking the levels of the streets. When this is complete the work of forming the streets will be proceeded with.

A tourist got lost in Nelly's Glen last evening. He was out all night, and returned this morning, not much the worse for his exposure.

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY.

A meeting of the Royal Commission on Defence Works in this colony was held to-day at the Great Northern Hotel with closed doors. The president, Mr. C. W. Darley, M.I.C.E., Mr. W. Wardell, M.I.C.E., Mr. G. A. Mansfield, and Colonel de Wolski, R.E., Director of Military Works, were present. Fort Scratchley was inspected, and the various points in connection with the defence were considered. The members of the commission returned to Sydney to-night.

Last evening the Government Electrician, Mr. Fitzmaurice, arrived at Newcastle for the purpose of inspecting the electric works now in operation with regard to the safety of installation. He visited the central station in Sydney-street, and expressed himself highly pleased with the arrangements, the whole machinery being in full operation. This morning, in company with Mr. T. G. Croft, telegraph manager at Newcastle station; Mr. G. K. Kirkland, manager of the Electric Light Company; Mr. W. Hitchcock, engineer, representing the Westinghouse Electric Company, Mr. Fitzmaurice was driven through the city of Newcastle for the purpose of inspecting the various centres in which the electric wires crossed the telegraphic wires already erected. The contractors, represented by Mr. Kirkland, offered Mr. Fitzmaurice every facility for a close examination of the apparatus and its workings, and more particularly the electric light cables. The contractors have expressed their willingness to comply with anything reasonable that may be suggested by the Superintendent of Telegraphs or the Government Electrician for the general public safety within the limits of their contract. Mr. Fitzmaurice left for Sydney by the evening train.

The police have not yet succeeded in arresting Mrs. Cassidy, charged with arson at Wickham on the 26th ultimo.

The members of the N. M. C. Association have passed a resolution to the effect that a committee be appointed to draw up plans for the erection of a temporary building on an allotment purchased from the A. A. Company, instead of waiting for funds to construct a permanent structure at £6000 or £7000. It appears that the association is already £150 in arrears, and the land is not yet quite paid for; therefore, it is considered advisable not to proceed with the permanent building, but to erect a temporary one at a cost of about £1200.

The total export of coal for this week was 48,036 tons.

An affray took place this evening at 9 o'clock. A miner created a disturbance at the Yacht Club Hotel, opposite the Courthouse, and smashed the glass and furniture. He was given in charge. At the lockup he violently assaulted Senior-sergeant Thomson, the lockup keeper. Constable Knight went to assist Sergeant Thomson, and the man flew at him and severely injured his arm. The man was eventually locked up in a cell.

WALCHA, THURSDAY.

The revenue returns for the past quarter amounted to over £2600.

The return of conditional leases applied for during the year places Walcha the second on the list for New England. The conditional purchases applied for were 56,583 acres, and conditional leases 118,416 acres.

WAGGA, FRIDAY.

The Wagga Poultry, Bird, and Dog Society propose holding a show in March or April.

This week an area comprising 1123 acres 2 roods of Crown lands in the parishes of Burrandana, Pulliton, Tooial, Sandy Creek, Lachlan, Bute, were applied for at the Crown lands agent's office.

A special meeting of the committee of management of the Wagga Hospital was held this evening, when the resignation of Mr. and Mrs. Magee from the positions of superintendent and matron was accepted with regret.

The Wagga Volunteer Fire Brigade has requested Mr. David Copland, one of the members of the district, to procure the Government special grant voted for the brigade.

A meeting of the Wagga School Board was held yesterday, and it was decided to invite the Minister for Public Instruction to visit Wagga four weeks hence, to to lay the foundation-stone of the new Public school, to be erected at South Wagga.

WINDSOR, FRIDAY.

At the Windsor Borough Council the special committee appointed to confer regarding the advisability of establishing a market place, brought up a report favourable to the idea, and submitted bylaws. Thompson-square will be used as a market place on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays in each week.

The Hawkesbury Steam Navigation Company have chartered the steamers Marco Marm and Admiral to continue their trade.

On Tuesday last an insurance surveyor and a marine surveyor visited the scene of the burning of the Hawkesbury, and after an examination they came to the conclusion that the accident occurred through the overheating of the pipes of the boiler, but attributed no blame to any person. At a meeting of directors it was decided to build a new boat suitable for the trade.

The Riverstone and Nelson fruitgrowers are loud in praise of the promptness with which the Commissioners of Railways have removed the disabilities under which they laboured. Fruit is now taken to Sydney in ventilated vans, and arrives at Darling Harbour at 6.30.

At the Police Court this morning, Michael Lowden,

was sentenced to three months for a brutal assault on his wife.

A meeting in connection with the proposed Emu-Kurrajong railway, convened by Mr. Wark, promoter of the scheme, was held at Kurrajong this week. After hearing Mr. Wark, a resolution was carried to the effect "That Mr. Wark's action in calling this meeting is premature and calculated to retard the government in the construction of the proposed railway from Richmond to Kurrajong." The motion was carried unanimously, all being in favour of the Richmond to Kurrajong route. The Emu route will only touch one portion of Kurrajong.

The outgoing aldermen for Windsor this year are Messrs. Marr, South Ward; Primrose, Central; W. Gosper, North. Alderman Primrose intends to contest the South Ward against Alderman Marr. Mr. F. Simon is the only candidate mentioned for the Central Ward, and Mr. D. Holland is expected to oppose Alderman Gosper. Mr. Holland was only beaten by seven votes at the extraordinary vacancy election a few months ago.

THE WEATHER.

SERIOUS PROSPECTS OF FLOODS.

All the stations in the N.E. part of the colony reported rain yesterday. The storm, which first appeared in the Gulf of Carpentaria some four days ago, has travelled steadily over Queensland, and is now expending itself. In some parts of this colony the fall has been exceptionally heavy, notably at Bourke with 4·75 points in 24 hours, but the heaviest part of the storm was in Thargomindah, Queensland, where 10in. fell. There appears, says the Government Astronomer, no cause for anxiety as a repetition of the late floods. The rainfall of from 2½ to 4½ inches in the Darling country will create a source of alarm, but no further danger need be apprehended. There may be a rise of a few feet in the rivers, owing to the accumulation of water in the tributaries, but from all that can be gathered it is pretty certain that this tropical storm has about exhausted itself. Some of the stations registered an extremely heavy fall, Brewarrina, 3·10in.; Casino, 2·48; Mungundi, 2·50; and several others.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

BATHURST, Friday.

During the last three days the weather has been unusually cold for this time of the year, and to-day it rained steadily, with every appearance of a continuance.

The following are the rain reports for the past 24 hours:—Pilliga, 152 points; Yetman River, 19ft. 6in., rising, 8; Mungundi, 18ft. 1oin., 250, raining; Mogil, 6ft., rising, 243, raining; Collarendabri, 11ft., rising, 208, raining; Walgett, Barwon, 9ft. 10in., Namoi, 8ft. 6in., both rising, 300, raining; St. George, over 12in. last week; Goodooga, 9ft. 2in. rising, 235, raining; Brewarrina, 4ft., rising, 360, raining; Bourke, 8ft. 8½in., rising, 435, raining; Gongolgon, 333, raining; Charleville, 20ft., rising, 7; Cunnamulla, river rising fast, 230; Barrigun, 400, raining; Enngonia, 605; Louth, 4ft. 2in., rising, 275, raining; Tilpa, 5ft. 6in., rising, 167, raining; Wanaaring, 360; Milparinka, raining.

BALLINA, Friday.

Rain still continues falling. There is a very heavy sea running on the bar. The river is rising slowly. A strong easterly gale is blowing.

BREWARRINA, Friday.

During the past week above 6in. fell. It is still raining. For the past 24 hours over 3in. have fallen. The back creeks are rising. A flood is expected from Queensland. The Barwon is starting to rise. The rain must do a lot of good, as the bush fires were becoming very serious. The weather has been very cold, and people have to resort to fires. Heavy rain is falling at Goodooga, Mogil Mogil, Walgett, Mungindi, and Collarendabri.

BOURKE, Friday.

It was still raining heavily last night, and about an inch and a half fell. A few days ago the thermometer was up to 114deg. in the shade. It is feared that there will be another flood.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

A steady rain has been falling all day, soaking the earth, but not heavy enough to make drains run much.

EUNGONIA, Friday.

Rain set in here on Tuesday last and has continued ever since; the rainfall during the last 24 hours is 6in. 5 points, making the total since the 1st January of 11in. The Warrego is very high and rising fast, with every appearance of a repetition of last year's floods. The country is under water.

CANOWINDRA, Friday.

The weather has turned very cold. Steady rain set in early this morning, with every appearance of continuing.

CASINO, Friday.

Rain still continues, and there is no appearance of its stopping. Since Saturday last over 9in. have been registered here. At Casino the river has risen about 13ft., and is still on the rise, running very fast. Some creeks are bank high. Deep Creek, on the Laurence-road, is within 2ft. of the bridge, and the water is already on some of the lower farms. Fears are entertained of another flood, and should this occur the consequences will be the most disastrous. Mail communication is already delayed. At Irvington the goods-shed on the public wharf, two miles below Casino, is covered by the water.

COBAR, Friday.

Steady rain commenced last night, and has continued throughout the day without intermission. Up to 6 o'clock 2 inches 70 points had been registered. Rain is still falling, and there is no appearance of it ceasing. The Nyngan mail is nine hours late. The road is covered with water for miles. Linsley-street is running past the post-office a complete canal, the water being 2ft. deep.

COONAMBLE, Friday.

Rain set in again last night, and 182 points were registered this morning. It has continued raining all day, and another inch more has since fallen, giving about 7in. here since the beginning of the year. This last fall has been general and heavy throughout the district.

CORAKI, Friday.

After a long spell of oppressively hot weather, the thermometer ranging about 100°, rain fell on Sunday last, continuing without intermission ever since. A strong easterly gale is blowing this morning, with heavy rain. The river is up everywhere—at Irvington, 22ft.; Lismore, 10ft.; Coraki, 4ft., and rising. Great fears are entertained of another big flood; traffic is partially suspended, and the roads throughout the district are in a bad state; that from Coraki to Casino is almost impassable for coast traffic. A flood this year would prove very serious to this river after the last disastrous flood. Lloyd's survey party passed through to Casino for the purpose of surveying the Casino-Tenterfield railway route.

CROOKWELL, Friday.

The weather is most disagreeable. Sleet and rain, accompanied by a cold cutting wind blowing incessantly, have been falling all day. The atmosphere is cold and wintry. The thermometer is still low, registering signs of continued wet weather.

DUBBO, Friday.

After a week's dull cold windy weather, rain set in this morning early, recording up to 9 o'clock 35 points. It has been raining slightly since. The rain is a great boon, as little or no rain has fallen here, as in other parts of the district, the last few days.

The boisterous weather yesterday terminated in steady rain, which commenced at midnight. Half an inch was recorded up to 9 o'clock this morning, and it is still raining.

GOODOOGA, Friday.

Two hundred and fifty-four points more rain have fallen. The weather is now clear. The total is over 6in. this week. Nine inches fell the last 10 days.

GRAFTON, Friday.

Rain still continues, but is falling lighter. The river has risen about 3ft. here, 17ft. at Copmanhurst, and 24ft. at Tabulam. It is rising slowly at these places, and rain is continuing. The Louth river at Cangi is 15ft. high. The main river is reported high. The mail coach from Glen Innes passed Newton Boyd at noon to-day 10 hours late. The driver reports all the creeks up, and that he was detained at Dishard Creek, near the Big Hill.

GRAFTON, Friday.

It has been raining continuously since Wednesday morning, with every likelihood of keeping on. One hundred and thirty points fell here during the last 24 hours, and 265 points at Yamba. The wind is south-east. Tabulam reports 250 points during the last 24 hours. The river is up 19ft., and rising 5in. per hour. There is no sign of a break in the weather. The river is 13ft. high at Copmanhurst, and rising 6in. per hour. At Newton Boyd 221 points of rain fell since yesterday morning, and there is a rise of 4ft. in the Henry River. It is steadily raining. There is only a slight rise in the river at Grafton. So far the rain has done no injury to the crops, but farmers sincerely wish it would cease, as a further fall will do damage.

GULGONG, Friday.

It is remarkable weather for January. All the week it has been cloudy and threatening. Rain set in this morning from the south-east, accompanied by sharp squalls. 105 points fell. The thermometer fell to 62°. At 7.30 p.m. it was still raining steadily, with appearance of continuing.

GUNDAGAI, Friday.

The weather is cool. Steady rain set in to-night, with appearance of continuing.

HILLGROVE, Friday.

The rain still continues. There is no mail again to-night. Baker's Creek is now higher than ever. All the creeks are swollen. The Wollombi and Chandler Rivers are bankers.

KATOOMBA, Friday.

Heavy rain began last evening, and has continued ever since. To-night the wind veered to the north, and the weather is likely to clear to-morrow.

KEMPSEY, Friday.

The weather is still threatening and drizzling. The river fell last night, but is rising a little to-day. The rain since Saturday registered 5¼in.

KIAMA, Friday.

Some fine showers of rain have fallen this afternoon.

LISMORE, Friday.

The rainfall yesterday was 192 points. The river is up now 15ft. The weather is very thick and still raining.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Fine rain set in last evening, and has continued without interruption during the whole day. It is still raining steadily.

LOUTH, Friday.

After several days of close muggy weather heavy rain set in yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and continued without a break. Up to the present time 3½in. have been registered. It is now raining heavily. The river has again started to rise.

MACLEAN, Friday.

Heavy rain continued since last Saturday. The water is now noticeable on the flats and low-lying lands. If it does not soon stop it will damage the crops. There is every appearance of the rain continuing.

MOAMA, Friday.

The weather is muggy, and like rain.

MURWILLUMBAH, Friday.

The rainfall for the 24 hours up to 9 a.m. is 5 inches 6 points, making a total since the 1st instant of 10 inches 51 points. The river has risen several feet, and is now over the public wharf, and rising slowly. It is still raining. The Sydney mail had not arrived last night, owing to Currumbin Creek being in flood.

MUDGEE, Friday.

The weather has been cold and stormy for the past two days. Heavy rain fell all day, with signs of a continuance. Great injury to the fruit crops is feared.

MUSWELLBROOK, Friday.

Heavy rain has been falling since 9 o'clock this morning, and will, according to present appearance continue throughout the night.

NARRABRI, Friday.

No sign of rain ceasing. The following is the register for the last 24 hours:—Narrabri, 121 points; Wee Waa, 138 points; Moree, 157 points; Millie, 202 points; Warialda, 156 points; Goodooga, 235 points; Mungindi, 250 points; Collarendabri, 218 points; Mogil, 243 points; Walgett, 300 points; Pilliga, 152 points; Tamworth, 30 points; Manilla, 45 points; Barraba, 125 points; Gunnedah, 38 points; Werris Creek, 65 points; Boggabri, 85 points.

ORANGE, Friday.

Rain has been falling heavily since 11 o'clock.

PARKES, Friday.

Steady rain is now falling, and the weather appears set in for wet.

PENRITH, Friday.

Splendid rain has fallen since noon, with the appearance of continuing. It was showery during the week. The rain has refreshed the crops. The river rose slightly.

QUIRINDI, Friday.

It has been raining steadily since last night, registering over half an inch. The total fall for the past week was 3 inches. It is still raining, with a mild temperature.

RYLSTONE, Friday.

Heavy and incessant rain has been falling throughout the day.

SCONE, Friday.

After last Saturday's rain the weather has been cloudy and threatening. Rain has been falling all day, registering 53 points, with all appearances of a wet night. Heavier rain fell in the outlying districts at Moonan and Stewart's Brook. The mails due yesterday have not yet arrived. The river is rising.

TENTERFIELD, Friday.

Rain still continues. No prospects of clearing. The rainfall for the week up to the present is about 3½in.

WAGGA, Friday.

Cool weather prevailed here to-day. Light rain commenced to fall in the afternoon, and continued without intermission for some hours. The river is rising slowly.

WILCANNIA, Friday.

Rains continue to fall on the watershed of the Darling in a remarkable manner, and the majority of the stations report still raining. The rivers M'Intyre and Warrego are both reported to be in flood, so that a substantial rise is now expected in the Darling proper. To-day's reports are:—Surat, 79 points; St. George, 310; Cunnamulla, 230, river rising fast; Adavale, 70; Bulloo, river 18in. below high flood mark; Enngonia, 605; Barringun, 400; Narrabri, 121; Gunnedah, 84; Inverell, 151; Yetman, 80, river 13ft.; Mungindi, 250, river risen 6ft. 4in. since yesterday, now 12ft. 10in. rising; Collarendabri, 280; Mogil, 245, river 6ft., rising; Walgett, 300, river 9ft. 10in., rising; Brewarrina, 310, river 4ft., rising; Goodooga, 235; Bourke, 435, river rose 3ft. 8in. from local rain; now 8ft. 4in., rising; Louth, 275, river 4ft. 6in., rising; Tilpa, 167; Moree, 157; Millie, 202; Warialda, 156; Emmaville, 135; Angledool, 208; Coonamble, 192; Pilliga, 152; Cobar, 200; Wanaaring, 360. Owing to heavy rain on the Bourke track, the Bourke mail is 11 hours late at Tilpa.

Mr. Ednie Brown, Director of Forests, is unable to continue his journey to Louth for the present.

Locally only 17 points were registered up to 9 o'clock this morning, but nice showers have been falling at intervals all the day. The rain appears to be very general, and a splendid season is assured. Recent reports from Tibooburra state three inches of rain fell at Sturt's Meadows; Barrcamma had 150 points; Cobham, 130; Wonnaminta Waterholes, 250. Steady rains have fallen at Warratta, and 110 points on the western portion of Nurrilco station, filling the tanks and dams in that locality. 100 points fell at Prome's Creek. The fall at Mount Browne was not so heavy.

WINDSOR, Friday.

Heavy rain has been falling here all day and still continues. The maize crops will greatly benefit by it.

YOUNG, Friday.

The weather is very cold. It is raining steadily.

DIFFICULTY AT THE RIVERSTONE MEAT WORKS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

WINDSOR, Friday.

A rather serious difficulty has arisen at the Riverstone Meat Works, in consequence of which Mr. B. Richards threatens to close the establishment. Some time ago the men employed at Mr. Richards's establishment formed a branch of the Butchers' Union, which has proved very successful, and work has been carried on harmoniously up to the time the present difficulty occurred. It appears that Mr. Lawton, a former employee who has been working in Melbourne wrote to Mr. Richards's manager, Mr. J. P. Quinn, asking if there was a vacancy, as he desired to return to Riverstone. At that time business was very brisk, as slaughtering for the London market was in full swing, and work was increasing. In addition to this, some hands had been discharged for various breaches. Consequently the manager replied, telling Lawton to come over, and bring with him three or four good hands. Lawton did so, being accompanied by four or five union butchers, but on arrival he was interviewed by Mr. P. J. Brennan, of the Butchers' Union, who offered objections to the men, Lawton included, going to work at Riverstone, on the ground, it is said, that there was no need to send to Victoria for hands whilst there were plenty out of work in Sydney. The result was that the whole of the men were sent back to Victoria. When this matter was reported to Mr. Richards he gave all hands a week's notice, expressing his intention of closing the works. It would be a bad thing for Riverstone if the works were closed, as they are a big stay to the town. Some 80 hands are employed, and this number would be increased in large contracts entered into to supply the London market. On an average 360 cattle weekly are slaughtered. It is hoped that some amicable settlement will be arrived at.

EXPERIMENTS IN REGARD TO RUST IN WHEAT.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

WAGGA WAGGA, Friday.

Mr. Alfred Napthali, of Lake Albert, who was one of the three persons in the district who planted five samples of wheat supplied by the Department of Agriculture in Sydney, to make experiments in regard to rust in wheat, states that each sample was sown on the 5th June. The plants were taken from the ground on the 19th December. The soil was light red loam, and had been box forest country. In all cases 2cwt. of manure, composed of superphosphate of lime, was used to each acre. A sample of white Tuscan wheat shows a fair head of straw, lightly attacked with rust. The purple straw is of vigorous growth; large ballhead, straw badly attacked with rust. Steinwedel's was very severely attacked with rust. The heads are heavy and full grown in the ear, and do not seem to be much affected. Wards Prolific sample has the ear light, and grain small; Strawberry is fine and free from rust; and Anderson's rust-proof sample proved true to its name, absolutely free from rust, much later than the other wheats. All the samples have been stripped of the flag by caterpillars. The samples are fair ones. The crop of Steinwedel's and Ward's Prolific samples is ripe, but the others are green.

THE MINERAL RESOURCES OF THE MUDGEE DISTRICT.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MUDGEE, Friday.

It has been publicly stated, by a competent authority, that the Mudgee district contains more mineral wealth than South Africa. Mr. David, Government mining inspector, is examining the iron ore deposits between Mudgee and Rylstone. It is reported that a wealthy London syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of the Rawden coal mine, near Mudgee.

DEATH OF INSPECTOR HARRISON.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

WAGGA, Friday.

Inspector Charles Edward Harrison, after a lingering illness lasting some weeks, died at his residence here this morning. The cause of death was heart disease and dropsy. A few months ago Mr. Harrison was granted leave of absence for the purpose of recruiting his health. He did not, however, benefit from it in any way. The deceased was about 63 years of age. He was a first-class officer, having been a number of years in Sydney, where he was inspector of detectives and was one of the oldest detectives in the colony; he was also sub-inspector of police at Inverell, Kempsey, and Newcastle, and was appointed to Wagga in November, 1886. He was from the South of England, and was educated in Belgium. He leaves a widow and grown-up daughters. He will be remembered in connection with the celebrated Bentley case.

The funeral of Harrison was well attended, the whole of the available mounted footmen formed in procession. The deceased officer's horse, led by Trooper Dixon, followed the hearse. A number of prominent residents followed the remains of the deceased, who for over 32 years has been in the service of the Crown.

ACCIDENT TO A MAIL COACH.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

HILLGROVE, Friday.

The mail coach this morning capsized between here and Armidale. Mr. W. O'Mond, a passenger, was severely bruised and shaken. He came back to Hillgrove.

CADBURY'S COCOA.
The Editor of the Medical Annual, after a careful examination of Cadbury's Cocoa, pronounces it to be both a food and a beverage of the highest quality, and counsels the Medical Profession to remember, in recommending Cocoa, that the name of Cadbury on any packet is a guarantee of purity.—[Advt.]

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The principal fixture to engage the attention of sporting folk to-day is the Warwick Farm January reunion, and, if fine weather prevail, the bill of fare should attract a large attendance. The management have left nothing undone to secure the comfort and convenience of their patrons, special attention having been paid to the catering department. The departmental arrangements for the conveyance of visitors to the course are as under:—10.50 a.m. (horse train), 11.55 a.m. (second-class), 12 (first-class), 12.10 p.m. (first-class), and 1.18 p.m. (mixed). The 1.30 p.m. train will, if required, stop at the Warwick Farm platform to set down passengers, and the 11.55 a.m. and 12 p.m. specials will pick up passengers at Strathfield. The sport opens at 1.30 p.m., when the horses engaged in the Hurdle Race will be despatched on their mission, and of the candidates the prospects of General Gordon, Grandson, and Sir Walter seem to be about the brightest, but if The Mason has returned to his old form he will trouble the best of them. The Flying Stakes should bring about an interesting race, in which Lady Kingsborough, Lavender, Gaytime, and Killaloe may fight out the finish of the battle. Queen of the Night and Crimson and White may be the best of the quartette engaged in the Sovereign Handicap. The principal item on the card—the New Year Handicap—has Clonard at the top of the list with 9st, and in view of his more important engagements at Randwick on Anniversary Day, he may not be deputed to play a part. Doncaster, who follows with 8st 10lb, has quite enough for three years old, while Killaloe, who follows with a couple of pounds less, may require a lot of beating. Venapa reads particularly well at 8st 2lb, if she can stay the length of the trip, and if she decline to carry silk the most likely to fill the places are Plaudit, Killaloe, and Odo, while Dolosa may be the best of the others. A large field will be sure to face the flag for the Pace Welter, and on figures the most likely to divide the honours are Haviiah, Cumberoona, Maida, and Marget. The programme is set forth in another part of this paper.

The programme issued for the Canterbury Park Pony and Galloway Meeting on the 22nd instant met with good support from owners and trainers of small horses yesterday, when the entry list closed with a total of 107, distributed as follows:—Liliputian Handicap (13.2), 15; Flying Handicap (14.1), 18; Miniature Handicap (13.3), 20; Galloway Selling Race (14.2), 7; Pony Handicap (14), 21; and Galloway Handicap (14.2), 26. The entries are published elsewhere in this issue.

A trio of well-known sportsmen—Messrs. P. Glenister, T. M. Alcock, and Geo. Adams—left last evening by the steamship Wainora for a trip through New Zealand.

The Moorefield authorities having determined to eschew selling races from their pony and galloway meetings, the programme for their fixture of the 29th instant contains half a dozen handicap events as under:—Flying Handicap of 30 sovs. (14.2), 6 furlongs; Blakehurst Handicap of 40 sovs. (14), 5 furlongs; Tiny Handicap of 30 sovs. (13.2), 4 furlongs; Tempe Handicap of 30 sovs. (14.1), 5 furlongs; Pony Handicap of 30 sovs. (13.3), 4 furlongs; and Galloway Handicap of 40 sovs. (14.2), 1 mile. Nominations for the aforementioned items close with the secretary, Mr. J. Jolly, at 5 p.m. on Friday, 23rd instant; the weights are promised on the 27th instant, and the conditions, &c., can be seen in our business columns.

The following scratchings were posted at the office of the Warwick Farm Racing Club yesterday:—Hurdle Race: Ayrshire. New Year Handicap: Doncaster. Pace Welter: Daniel.

Mr. M. Seale, the secretary of the Canterbury Park Racecourse Company, announces in our advertising sheets the conditions under which applications will be received up to 11 a.m. on Tuesday next for the privileges of plying the vocation of bookmaker in the saddling paddock and St. Leger reserve during the current year.

The A. J. C. authorities have granted registration to Burrowa, Canowindra, Carcoar, and Tamworth race meetings.

The annual general meeting of the members of the A. J. C. takes place at the office of the club, 14 Castlereagh-street, at 4 p.m., on Monday, when the report and balance-sheet for the last year will be submitted, and notices of motion dealing with raising the entrance fee of new members, securing a safer means of access to the main entrance gates from the tramway platforms, and numbering and letting the seats on the grand stand on race days, will engage the attention of the members.

A decided improvement has been made in the race-books issued by the Warwick Farm authorities for their January Meeting, which takes place to-day, by giving the pedigrees of all horses engaged. To most racegoers the breeding of horses is of great importance in calculating the chances of victory, and Mr. Rowe has acted wisely in adopting the system. The railway time-table for to-day is also included in the publication.

Owners and trainers should note that on Monday next nominations must be in the hands of the secretary, Mr. G. B. Rowley, for the following events comprised in the Rosehill Second January Meeting, which has been fixed for the 31st instant:—Clyde Handicap of 60 sovs., 6 furlongs; Selling Race of 50 sovs., winner to be sold for 100 sovs., selling allowances, 7 furlongs; Steeplechase, a handicap of 75 sovs., about 2½ miles; Welter Handicap of 60 sovs., lowest weight 8st, 1 mile; Nursery Handicap of 75 sovs., for two-year-olds, 5 furlongs; and Rosehill Handicap of 100 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, 1 mile and 3 furlongs. The usual nomination fee of 1 sov., which covers all liability for each race, is a necessary accompaniment of each entry.

The management of the Albury Racing Club have framed a very attractive programme for their annual reunion which has been fixed for March 17 and 18. It includes racing on the flat, hurdle racing and steeplechasing, and the liberal prize list should guarantee generous support from patrons of the turf in the Southern districts. The leading items are the Albury Cup of 150 sovs., Foal Stakes of 100 sovs., St. Patrick's Handicap of 75 sovs., and Steeplechase of 60 sovs., while the added money totals £560.

At a general meeting of the members of the Plattsburg Amateur Turf Club, held on Wednesday last, it was decided that the proceeds of their next race meeting, to be held on February 21, should be given to the Athletic Club. It was also determined to request Mr. C. Hannell to accept the position of handicapper.

At the sale of Mr. H. C. White's thoroughbred stock, by Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe, at Maitland, on Wednesday last, the highest price realised was 250 guineas, given by the Northern sportsman who is known on the turf as "J. Baronet," for a yearling colt by The Pontiff from Formosa (dam of Ensign); 225 guineas was the figure paid by Mr. T. Payten for a yearling colt by The Pontiff from Enone (dam of Paris and Insigna); Mr. John Robson gave 61 guineas for a gelding by Glenalvon from Ariel; a gelding by Glenalvon from an O.B. mare fell to the nod of Mr. P. Waddy for £50; Mr. J. A. Mayo secured a chestnut gelding by Glenalvon from Gleam for 46 guineas; 43 guineas purchased a bay gelding, by Meteor from Isle for Mr. E. Mayo; a chestnut gelding, by Meteor from Rosebud went to Mr. W. A. Sparse for 40 guineas; and the same figure was given by Mr. A. M. Cousens for a brown gelding, by Glenalvon from an O.B. mare.

Late advices from America record the death of the well-known and popular sportsman, Hon. August Belmont, who was the owner of a large string of racehorses, as well as a prominent studmaster. A similar rule to that in vogue in England with respect to voiding all nominations on the death of the nominator exists on the American turf, and relative thereto the New York *Sportsman* says:—"A sad event has occurred to open the eyes of racing officials to the danger which exists in the operation of the rule making void all nominations on the death of the nominator. There is absolutely no reason for the rule, whereas every logical argument is in favour of its abrogation. It is only necessary for one of the jockey clubs to take the initiative in the matter, and the work thus started will be quickly pushed to completion. The old English rule should have no place in the racing laws of the present age. Mr. Belmont's death is the writing on the wall, and the obnoxious rule is doomed. Weeks ago we pointed out that no amount of reasoning could possibly excuse the existence of the rule, and laid stress on the possibility of its operating in the event of Mr. Belmont's death." In compliance with the will of the deceased sportsman, the dispersal of the Nursery Farm stud, Long Island, will take place at an early date. Among the stallions located at that famous breeding establishment is the English Derby winner, St. Blaise, by Hermit, who headed the list of winning sires in America last season.

At a sale of thoroughbred stock in New York (U.S.A.), on November 20, the two-year-old chestnut colt Bolero, by Rayon d'Or from All Hands Round, by War Dance, was purchased by Mr. P. J. Dwyer for 35,000dol.

Two thousand guineas was the price recently paid by the Marquis of Hartington for the Irish-bred two-year-old colt Carpinetti, by Favo from Italienne, by Roman Bee from Trieste, by Plum Pudding. The colt was bred by Mr. John Heffernan, of Kildare, and among his successes during the past season was the Maiden Nursery Stakes at the Curragh October Meeting. He is one of the most promising youngsters that has carried silk in the Green Isle during the season just ended, and good judges look forward to a prosperous career for him.

The French racing authorities brought a new rule into force last year, by which it was provided, in order to avoid having several meetings held on the same day, that any fixture which could not be held on the date originally announced should be annulled and not postponed. The consequence is, that all races fixed for the dates from November 26 to December 12 (the date of latest English files) were annulled, owing to the severe frost.

CANTERBURY PARK PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

Subjoined are the entries received yesterday for the meeting to be held at Canterbury Park on Thursday next:—

Liliputian Handicap (13.2)—4 furlongs.

Tidley, Iris, Miss Sirby, Verveinne, Lady Halls, Kempsey, Lottie, Gipsy Girl, Hulong, My Lady, Young Dick, Knetty, Calamity, Lillydale, Norman.

Flying Handicap (14.1)—5 furlongs.

Ruby, After Dark, Fanny W, Three Star, Modest, Idle Girl, Nettle, Marangaroo, Fair Alice, Jenny, Music II. (late Music), Ibumata, Marie, Forest Maid, Pearl, Skylark, Pet Girl, The Bee.

Miniature Handicap (13.3)—5 furlongs.

Enterprise, Ethel, Insect, Princess, Tiny, Xantippe, Dunwell, Minx, Junior, Sovereign, Cambridge, Vandah, Spot, Adella, Gipsy Girl, Cupid, Knetty, Lillydale, Aggie, Timothy.

Galloway Selling Race (14.2)—5 furlongs.

Quiver, nil; Olive, £10; Boccaccio, nil; Humbug, nil; Truth, £40; the Diver, £20; Fair Sex, nil.

Pony Handicap (14.0)—5½ furlongs.

Aboriginal, Volley, Geebung, Lassie, Tat, Timothy, Dunwell, Acme, Springtime, Killaloe, Pisty, Albert, Rubina, Tom Steel, Marksman, Harriet, Makiri, Pearl, Madge, Glad Tidings, Duplity.

Galloway Handicap (14.2)—7½ furlongs.

Victor, Rica, Kell, Lady Test (late Truth), Esmo, Venus, Lady Tyson, Poor Dan, Capricornus, Bellophobe, Keepsake, The Nun, Genevieve, Midnight, Hurrah, Lady Martin, Daisy, Miss Lincoln, Exile, Silver Prince, Bruce, Tell (late Makiri), Redbrand W, Fair Sex, Lulu, Little Sister.

WARWICK FARM RACING CLUB.

Appended is the programme for the January meeting of the above club, to be held to-day:—

Hurdle Race—2 miles.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Handover	11	5	The Mason	10	3	Sir Walter	9	5
Stimulant	11	8	Red Heart	10	0	Fergus	9	5
Hengist	11	0	Cascade	9	11	Inspector	9	0
General Gordon	10	11	Bushman	9	9	Omeo	9	0
Chatsworth	10	9	Grandson	9	7	Vanguard	9	0

Flying Stakes—6 furlongs 50 yards.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Wilberforce	9	0	Oroya	8	0	Carrington	7	4
Odo	8	12	Lady Kingsborough	7	11	Blythwood	7	3
Killaloe	8	10	Strephon	7	11	Adjutant	7	3
Souvenir	8	8	Lavender	7	9	Rosestem	7	0
Savant	8	6	Little Lady	7	9	Prairie Rose	7	0
Ile	8	4	Syracuse	7	7	Veronese	6	9
Lady Lovel	8	4	Margett	7	7	Creeper	6	7
Gaytime	8	2	Zama	7	4	Alcides	6	7
Cumberoona	8	2						

Sovereign Handicap—5 furlongs.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Crimson and White	7	7	Queen of the Night	7	0	Adelaide	6	7
Tambaroora	7	3						

New Year Handicap—1½ mile.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Clonard	9	0	Hugo	8	0	Eolpee	7	4
Killaloe	8	8	Pet Girl	7	12	Frisco	7	3
Odo	8	6	Acushla	7	10	Plaudit	7	0
Goldmaster	8	4	Dolosa	7	8	Blenheim	6	9
Venapa	8	2	Aaron	7	6	Warrego	6	7

Pace Welter—6 furlongs.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Killaloe	11	3	Moonshine	9	7	Whisht	8	11
Souvenir	11	0	Jack the Ripper	9	5	Bezant	8	11
Haviiah	10	11	Martindale	9	5	Deserter	8	9
Cumberoona	10	9	Inaerman	9	5	Anthony	8	9
Ascot	10	7	Marlborough	9	3	Barney	8	9
Oroya	10	5	Blythwood	9	0	Partridge	8	7
Pet Girl	10	5	Adjutant	9	0	Shamrock	8	7
Manon	10	0	Swift	8	11	Rover	8	7
Margett	9	11				Achilles	8	7
Conceit	9	9						

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

THE V. A. T. C. MEETING.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The following are the weights for the V. A. T. C. Meeting on the 24th:—

Handicap Hurdle Race—1¾ miles.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Ivanhoe	11	10	Sybarite	10	10	Mothe	9	12
Aristides	11	8	Rouge et Noir	10	8	Venus	9	10
Simpleton	11	5	Dreamer	10	6	Snow King	9	9
Pingara	11	0	Bit of Fashion	10	6	Moondah	9	8
Dragon	11	0	Sam	10	6	Hesperus	9	5
Leroy	10	12	Durambol	10	5	Buzzard	9	0
Wallaby	10	10	King Billy	10	3			

Anniversary Handicap—1 mile and 3 furlongs.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Lyndhurst	8	10	Escutcheon	8	2	Claud	7	4
Richelieu	8	10	Tourbillon	8	0	The Tinman	7	3
Tarcoola	8	6	Simpleton	7	11	The Pioneer	7	2
John S.	8	7	Ivanhoe	7	8	Vascosa	7	0
Tantallon	8	7	Marco	7	7	Forest King	6	12
Corythus	8	4	Cooramin	7	7	Latrobe	6	10
Bothwell	8	4	Portland	7	7	Lapstone	6	8
Jebusite	8	4	Maggie	7	5	Pingara	6	8
Wycombe	8	3	Grandlike	7	4	Mota	6	7

Handicap Steeplechase—about 2 miles.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Orangeman	12	11	Emilie	10	6	Whisperer II.	9	10
Lawler	11	10	Coolart	10	6	Thule (late William Tell II.)	9	10
Shanks	11	5	Knight	10	5			
Glendecart	11	6	Clipper	10	4			
Wallaby	11	0	Blister	10	3	Streak o' Light	9	7
Dreamer	10	12	Cock Robin	10	0			
Gaslight	10	8	Sir Joshua	9	12	Trickett	9	7
Eyry	10	8	Coquette	9	12			

MOSS VALE PICNIC RACES.

MOSS VALE, Friday.

The Picnic Races were continued and concluded to-day. Light rain fell which, with the death of Mrs. Throsby, materially interfered with the attendance. The Hon. R. H. Roberts acted as judge, and Mr. G. George as secretary. The racing was fair. The results were as follows:—

Picnic Race, for all hacks, 1 mile.—Mr. F. A. Badgery's Roany (late The Mop), 10st, 1; Mr. C. Gibson's Zone 11st 10lb, 2; Mr. A. B. Young ns Warwick, 11st 7lb, 3. A good race for three-quarters of mile, when Roany came away and won easily. Time, 1 minute 58½ seconds.

Ladies' Mile, 1 mile. Mr. A. G. Delauret's Cinella, 11st 10lb, 1; Messrs. Hilins and Pearce's Bonnie Lad, 11st 1lb, 2; Mr. A. H. M'Arthur's Maud, 11st 8lb, 3. A good race. Time, 1 minute 52½ seconds.

Bachelors' Bag, 1½ mile.—Mr. A. H. M'Arthur's Rosebranch, 12st, 1; Mr. C. Gibson's Cossack, 1lst, 2. These were the only starters. Rosebranch led all the way and won by two lengths. Time, 2 minutes 22 seconds.

Flying Stakes, ¾ mile.—Mr. Allen's Zouave, 10st 12lb, 1; Messrs. Hillas and Pearce's Bonnie Lad, 11st 4lb, 2; Mr. A. H. M'Arthur's Maud, 11st 10lb, 3. A close and exciting race. Time, 1 minute 24 seconds.

The Welter, 2 miles.—Mr. A. H. M'Arthur's Camden, 11st 2lb, 1; Mr. A. G. Delauret's Wynella, 11st 7lb, 2; Mr. C. Gibson's Cossack, 10st 5lb, 3. Camden was the favourite, and won easily. Time, 4 minutes 2 seconds.

The Consolation Handicap, ¾ mile.—Mr. Delauret's The Paddy, 11st 1; Mr Delauret's Habbakuk, 11st, 2; Mr. A. B. Young's Werriwa, 11st, 3. Won by two lengths. Time, 1 minute 28 seconds.

The meeting was wound up by holding a ball in the Agricultural Society's Hall, Moss Vale, there being 200 present. The club has now 130 members, and is in a splendid financial position.

NORTHERN JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

The following entries were received this evening for the Northern Jockey Club's race meeting, which takes place at Rutherford on the 24th and 26th instant:—

Flying Handicap—6 furlongs.

Ira, Dagworth, Glendor, Charlie, Telephone, Queen Bee, Toronto, Judge, Brighton, Commissioner.

Selling Race—6 furlongs.

Lady Agnes, Barney, Petre, Grand Peer, Balfour, Expedition, Ida, Patsy Bolivar, Centennial.

N. J. C. Handicap—1 mile.

Ira, Petrel, Walgett, Lady Dundas, Glendor, Cupid, Charlie, Lockslev, Telephone, Sunshade, Toronto, Sorella, Hazard, Brighton, Commissioner, Lottery.

Novel Race—6 furlongs.

Spy, Balfour, Expedition, Heiress, Priscilla, Decision, Judge, Ida, Centennial.

Anniversary Handicap—1 mile.

Ira, Petrel, Lady Dundas, Glendor, Cupid, Lockslev, Telephone, Sunshade, Toronto, Sorella, Hazard, Commissioner, Lottery.

Welter Handicap—7 furlongs.

Ptolemy, Merrigobah, Walgett, Nelson, Queen Bee, Elcho, Bandmaster, Brighton, Patsy Bolivar, Lottery.

Free Handicap—6 furlongs.

Petrel, Barney, Cupid, Charlie, Telephone, Sunshade, Euratur, Judge, Sir Hercules.

Shorts Handicap.—6 furlongs.

Barney, Ira, Petrel, Linnet, Walgett, Nelson, Charlie, Grand Peer, Telephone, Elcho, Judge, Bandmaster, Commissioner.

Members' Handicap.—6 furlongs.

Nelson, Expedition, Decision, Bandicoot, Patsy Bolivar, Lottery.

Farewell Handicap.—6½ furlongs.

Ptolemy, Petrel, Cupid, Charlie, Telephone, Sunshade, Elcho, Oui Jane, Priscilla, Kildare, Bandicoot, Sir Hercules.

JUNEE RACING CLUB.

WAGGA, Friday.

The following are the entries for the chief events to be run at the Annual Summer Meeting of the Junee Racing Club on the 4th and 5th February:—

Junee Cup—1½ mile.

Keepsake, Drillmaster, Fireman, Merrigal, Nemesis, Conductor, Second King, Strike a Light, Goldlake, Young Rapid, Ondemia, Defiance, Rejected, Weyonga, The Swell.

Hurdle Race—2 miles.

Called Back, Frantic, Cavistock, Black Jack, Pets, Boinda, Albury, Monitor, Star, Starlight.

Clarendon Handicap—1 mile.

Keepsake, Drillmaster, Fireman, Merrigal, Nemesis, Conductor, Stella, Second King, Strike a Light, Goldlake, Young Rapid, Ondemia, Associate, Defiance, Florence, Sunbeam.

The weights will be declared on Monday.

TUMUT TURF CLUB.

TUMUT, Friday.

A general meeting of the Tumut Turf Club was held yesterday, at which it was resolved to change the date of the annual races from March 25 and 26 to March 30 and 31.

PARKES JOCKEY CLUB.

PARKES, Friday.

At the annual meeting of the Parkes Jockey Club the report and balance-sheet, showing a credit balance of £56, were adopted. The following officers were elected for the present year:—Messrs. A. S. Balcombe, J.P., Coradgery, patron; J. G. Lackey, J.P., Nelungaloo, president; J. A. Ross, J.P., and A. Hutton, Troffs, vice-presidents, with a strong committee. Mr. Joseph Strickland was appointed handicapper. Votes of thanks were accorded to Mr. Arthur Hutton for his services in connection with the club. At a committee meeting the annual programme, to be decided on Easter Monday and the following day, was drawn up. It includes the Produce Stakes, 85 sovs.; Publicans' Purse, 1 mile, 75 sovs.; and P. J. C. Handicap, 100 sovs. The programme totals 420 sovs.

DEATH OF THE RACEHORSE PHAON.

BREWARRINA, Friday.

The well-known racehorse Phaon, late of Randwick, died yesterday.

JUGIONG RACES.

GUNDAGAI, Friday.

The Jugiong races, which were postponed, will take place on Friday next.

SALE OF THOROUGHBREDS.

SINGLETON, Friday.

The sale of thoroughbred and draught mares, Suffolk stallions, &c., by order of the executors of the late W. J. Dangar, was continued to-day. The auctioneers were Messrs. T. S. Clibborn and H. A. Thompson. The weather was unfavourable, but the attendance was fair. The sale was held on the Singleton show ground. The following were the sales effected:—

Pure Suffolk Punch Mares.

Lot 1, Chance, Mr. Heffernan, 12 guineas.
Lot 2, Dandy, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 55 guineas.
Lot 3, Gyp, Mr. A. Wilson, 25 guineas.
Lot 4, Chance III., Mr. A. Wilson, 35 guineas.
Lot 5, Gyp II., Mr. H. C. Dangar, 34 guineas.
Lot 6, Gyp III., Mr. A. A. Dangar, 46 guineas.
Lot 7, Damsel, Mr. J. R. Mackay, 37 guineas.
Lot 8, Daring, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 46 guineas.
Lot 9, Daisy, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 49 guineas.
Lot 10, chestnut mare, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 60 guineas.
Lot 11, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 40 guineas.
Lot 12, Mr. Onslow, 49 guineas.
Lot 13, Mr. E. S. Cox, 46 guineas.
Lot 14, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 71 guineas.
Lot 15, chestnut filly, Mr. Heffernan, 30 guineas.
Lot 16, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 52 guineas.
Lot 17, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 30 guineas.
Lot 18, Mr. A. A. Dangar, 44 guineas.

Draught Stallions.

No. 1, Pilgrim, Mr. Tully, 75 guineas.
No. 2, Monarch, Mr. Fenner, 65 guineas.
No. 3, Samson, Mr. Onslow, 100 guineas.
No. 4, Bowshot, Mr. E. S. Cox, 60 guineas.
No. 5, Big Ben, Mr. W. C. Hill, 135 guineas.
No. 6, chestnut colt, Mr. J. R. Mackay, 93 guineas.
No. 7, ditto, Mr. Fenner, 10 guineas.
No. 8, ditto, Mr. A. Wilson, 55 guineas.
No. 9, ditto, Mr. Heffernan, 65 guineas.
No. 10, ditto, Mr. D. Sweeney, 45 guineas.

Twenty-eight Suffolk Punch geldings, between 3 and 4 years, various bidders—total, 601 guineas; average, 21½ guineas. Thirty-eight Suffolk Punch mares, various ages, for 1263 guineas—average, 33½ guineas.

The total for the two days' sales was 7200 guineas.

CRICKET.

A meeting of the council of the New South Wales Cricket Union was held last night at Rainford's Cambridge Club Hotel, to deal with an appeal from the action of the committee in disqualifying the Camperdown Club for including an ineligible man in the team that played against the Annandale in the Schacht Cup competition. Mr. E. Ironside occupied the chair. It appears that a player named Smith had on several occasions played as a pick-up with the Richmond Club in Melbourne, and on one occasion in a pennant match. The Camperdown club played Smith against the Annandale, and the latter were defeated. They protested on the ground that Smith was debarred by the rule, which says: "Match-playing members who shall have represented any first eleven of a senior club, &c.," shall not be eligible. The protest was upheld by the committee, and the Camperdowns appealed to the council, who decided that the appeal be dismissed, and the decision of the committee be upheld.

A match was played on Thursday at the University oval between the draftsmen engaged in the compiling branch of the Surveyor-General's Office and those in the miscellaneous charting branch, and was won by the former rather easily. The Compilers went first to the wickets, and compiled 209. The Charters responded with 66, and having to follow on scored 54 for seven wickets at call of time. Appended are the full scores:—

Compiling Branch.

L. Julian, c M'Lean, b Thallon	41	G. H. Pike, stumped, b Thallon	8
E. S. Lloyd, c Sullivan, b Keating	15	G. W. Sherring, b Thallon	0
C. T. Morath, b o w, b Herlitz	53	A. Paton, b Herlitz	3
P. Larkin, h o w, b Herlitz	6	E. Schultz, c Sullivan, b Thallon	7
E. Davis, c Fowler, b Herlitz	5	R. Harris run out	8
J. D. Walsh, not out	52	Sundries	8
		Total	209

Miscellaneous Charting Branch.—First innings.

F. Thallon, b Morath	2	M. Murphy, b Julian	0
J. Herlitz, c Davis, b Morath	46	O. Balhausen, b Julian	0
C. Fowler, b Morath	6	A. Plowman, c Lloyd, b Julian	2
J. Sullivan, c Paton, b Morath	0	J. Cash, not out	1
J. Keating, b Morath	0	Sundries	2
E. Skinner, b Morath	3		
K. M'Lean, c Walsh, b Morath	4	Total	66

Second innings.

J. Herlitz, b Julian	1	O. Balhausen, b Walshe	7
F. Thallon, c Howe, b Julian	4	R. M'Lean, b Julian	1
J. Keating, b Julian	13	A. Plowman, run out	2
C. Fowler, not out	22	Sundries	2
M. Murphy, b Pike	2	Total	54

PEDESTRIANISM.

The finals of the Carrington Sixth Nursery Handicap and the whole of the Consolation Handicap will be run to-night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Nominations for the Carrington Nursery Handicap close on Monday night.

The usual Marrickville weekly handicaps will be run this afternoon.

LAWN TENNIS.

Two more rounds of the Sydney Lawn Tennis Club's handicap have been played, resulting as follows:—

J. R. King beat Fowler—6-3, 6-1.
Tiley beat Mackenzie—3-6, 6-4, 6-3.
Braddon beat Dr. Shewen—6-1, 6-1.
F. L. King beat E. Fitzgerald—4-6, 6-2, 6-2.

J. R. King fairly revelled in the short returns and slow vollies of his opponent, and it is a pity that some of the rising players do not imitate King's decisive style of dealing with weak strokes. Tiley beat M'Kenzie after a long and very tiring match, and both men could improve their game by infusing a little more dash into the play. Braddon quite played over Dr. Shewen, the footballer's activity standing him in good stead. F. L. King beat Fitzgerald mainly through the mistakes of the latter, who tried rushing up to the net after weak returns. The semi-final round resulted in Tiley beating J. R. King. 2-6, 6-4, 7-5. Tiley's great accuracy and staying power enabled him to win one of the best matches in the tournament, after making a very inauspicious commencement. In the last set the score was three love, in King's favour; but Tiley played with great gameness and wore his opponent out. F. L. King beat Braddon in very hollow fashion. 6-2, 6-3. The winner played a safe consistent game, while Braddon seemed quite off his favourite strokes. The final match between F. L. King and Tiley takes place to-day.

BOWLING.

A special general meeting of members of the New South Wales Bowling Association was held last night at the Criterion Hotel, Mr. J. Forsyth in the chair. A cablegram was received from New Zealand, asking the association to take part in the annual bowling tournament to be held in that colony next month. It was decided that the time allowed was too short to admit of anything being done in the matter. A communication was received from the Victorian Bowling Association with regard to playing two matches annually. It was understood that if the proposal was agreed to the Victorians would meet the New South Wales players about Easter. It was announced that Mr. Thomas Taylor, of Glasgow, had sent out a pair of gold-mounted bowls, which were being played for by the various clubs, including Newcastle, and great interest was being taken in the tournament, for which 61 entries had been received. The rest of the business consisted in dealing with the rules of the association and the laws of the game as passed last November, when a committee consisting of Messrs. W. F. Evans, Hinchcliffe, Forsyth, Conlon, and Dr. Wilson was appointed to revise them.

AQUATICS.

A committee meeting of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club was held on Wednesday last, the Commodore (Mr. W. M. Maclardy) presided. It was decided that the race for third-class yachts, postponed from November, should be sailed on Saturday, 24th instant. The handicap race on February 21, for yachts over 10-rating was altered to a general handicap for all yachts. The first-class yacht race of this club, set down for to-day, has fallen through owing to insufficient entries.

The members of the Sydney Amateur Dingy Club have decided to have a race for first-class boats on Saturday next.

Another private race between the Lottie and Regina for £20 a side, has been arranged for February 7. The last race between these two boats, it will be remembered, resulted in a win for the Regina.

The East Sydney Amateur Sailing Club will hold a race this afternoon, open to all boats of the club. The first prize will be a trophy presented by the vice-commodore. The following are the entries:—Lottie, 24ft., scratch, Mr. C. P. M'Conville; Mothes, 24ft., 2 minutes, Mr. W. A. Notting; Isadore, 24ft., 3 minutes, Mr. J. Young; Elsie, 24ft., 5 minutes, Mr. A. Brown; Sevilla, 24ft., 5 minutes, Mr. H. Miller; Alma, 24ft., 5 minutes, Mr. J. Nicholls; Massilia, 24ft., 5 minutes, Mr. P. Roberts; Our Own, 24ft., 6 minutes, Mr. S. Hellings; Eudora, 22ft., 15 minutes, Mr. A. Corkran. The s.s. Admiral will leave Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo Bay, at 2.45 p.m. sharp, to follow the race.

The entries for the National Regatta close at Aaron's Exchange Hotel to-night. Full particulars are announced elsewhere. Distinguishing flags will be obtainable at the Exchange to-night.

The date for the East Sydney Rowing Club's Regatta has been fixed for March 21.

The Manly Regatta will be held this afternoon, the steamer leaving Sydney at 2 o'clock. There are two open races, viz., maiden double sculls and handicap outrigger.

The annual meeting of the Mercantile Rowing Club was held in the Oxford Hotel last night. Mr. J. Blackman, captain, presided over a large attendance. The annual report, read by Mr. Edwin Grace, secretary, showed that the year had been one of exceptional activity in the amateur aquatic ranks, and it was pleasing to note that the club still retained the premier position, and with the material at hand could fairly hope to occupy the same place at the end of the present year. The numerical strength of the club was steadily increasing, owing no doubt to the repeated victories of the representatives in the maiden and senior eight-oar races. The fleet had received several useful additions during the year, notably, a splendid racing four-oared outrigger, presented by Mr. Goodyear, for a senior eight-oar race, and won by the club. Mr. D. Fletcher presented a first-class pair-oar boat and oars to the club, and they could now claim the finest racing fleet in the harbour, while the working boats were ample and in good condition. The past year had been remarkable for the large number of valuable trophies presented to the club by both old and new members, and the races for these had excited the keenest competition and genuine interest. The donors were Messrs. J. M. Fogarty, F. Senior, jun., E. Needs, D. Fletcher, G. Summerfield, the Mayor, and the captain. The club's annual ball was a brilliant social and financial success. The annual regatta comprised four events, and produced some splendid racing. The club races had been numerous and useful. In outside events the club representatives had won a full share of prizes, in fact having secured more first and second prizes than any other club in Sydney. At the National Regatta the club was first and second in the Senior Fours, and were likely to win the Junior Fours, when the boat was fouled and broken. The Club's representatives won the Open Maiden Double Scull Race at the E. S. R. Club regatta, but partly owing to using an unsuitable boat at the N. S. W. R. A. regatta their Senior Fours suffered a defeat at the hands of the Breakfast Creek crew. The *Referee* cup for maiden eights was won by the club crew with great ease, and their senior eight were victorious both at Lane Cove and in the race for Mr. Goodyear's trophy. In the latter race the only club that met their representatives was the University, and the time for the race—17 minutes 20 seconds—formed a record for a New South Wales eight. The Senior Double Scull Race at Balmain was won by the club's representatives, as also did the club representative in the Handicap Outrigger Race at the E. S. R. Club carnival. It would thus be seen that the club was represented at nearly every open event during the year, and it was worthy of note that the club seniors had won the last four senior eight-oar races in succession. The hon. treasurer's financial statement, read by Mr. Blackstone, was audited by Messrs. H. E. Wilkinson and E. S. Edwards. The total revenue amounted to £749 6s 5d, and the expenditure to £737 3s 5d. The assets were estimated at £3067. It was gratifying to be able to state that the unpaid subscriptions for the year amounted to £12 only. The committee regretted to announce the resignation of the hon. treasurer, Mr. W. A. Blackstone, after five and a-half years' tenure of office, besides which he was hon. secretary to the ball committee for eight years. Mr. N. J. M'Donald has accepted the position. Several of the oldest members had returned to the ranks of active scullers, amongst others, Messrs. H. E. Wilkinson and C. C. Medcalf. It was with deep regret that they had to record the loss of Mr. J. W. Freeman, whose untimely death robbed the club of a genial and unselfish friend. The following officers were elected for the year:—Patron, the Earl of Jersey; president, Hon. J. H. Want, M.L.C.; vice-presidents, the Mayor, Messrs. J. M. Fogarty, J. . . , Alderman T. Playfair, M.L.A., Thos. Spencer, Geo. Merriman, W. J. Merriman, J.P., F. B. Hall, and F. Punch; captain, Mr. J. Blackman; hon. treasurer, Mr. N. J. M'Donald; hon. secretary, Mr. Edwin Grace; committee, Messrs. John Thomson, G. M'Gill, A. Hollingworth, A. Ramsay, K. Gittman, N. J. M'Donald, W. A. Blackstone, J. C. Watson, and H. E. Wilkinson. A vote of thanks was presented to the officers for the past year, a special vote being accorded to Mr. W. A. Blackstone, the retiring treasurer.

FATAL ACCIDENT BY BURNING.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

JUNEE, Friday.

Mr. Elliott, the coroner, held a magisterial inquiry touching the death of Millie Stephenson, aged 6, who was burnt to death. Ada Borland, who lived next door, deposed that she heard a scream, and saw deceased on Mrs. M'Killop's verandah with her clothes on fire. She ran to her and found her clothes completely burnt, and the child's hair was on fire. She put her in bed, and coming out saw Mrs. M'Killop enveloped in flames. She threw a blanket over her and rolled her on the ground. The deceased told witness that she was putting a lid on a saucepan on the fire when her clothes caught fire. The magisterial finding was one of accidental death. There is slight hope of Mrs. M'Killop's recovery.

FORTHCOMING MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MUDGEE, Friday.

The retiring aldermen in the Mudgee Council are:—C. D. Meares, William Wilton, and J. Macfarlane; and for the Municipality of Cudgegong, Aldermen P. J. Rheinberger, G. H. F. Cox, W. Grant. No opposition is spoken of at present.

THE LATE MRS. THROSBY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MOSS VALE, Friday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Throsby took place this afternoon, and was very largely attended. The remains of the deceased lady were interred in the family vault at Bong Bong. The Rev. G. Sheppard, B.D., B.A., the Rev. W. A. Leech, B.A., and the Rev. G. H. Musy, officiated. Whilst the body was being conveyed from the church the "Dead March" was played. During the service the choir sang the burial psalm and appropriate hymns.

THE NEWCASTLE WHARF LABOURERS.

TROUBLE OVER THE EIGHT-HOUR QUESTION.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

An advertisement appears in a local newspaper to-day signed "A. H. M'Vity, secretary of the Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union," stating that, the firm of Gibbs, Bright, and Co. having refused work under the eight-hour system, the members of the above union are on strike at the wool-sheds of the above firm. On inquiry it appears that in November last Mr. Cheek, manager for Gibbs, Bright, and Co., had agreed conjointly with Dalgety and Co. to employ men with freedom of contract under the eight-hour system, and at the rate of one shilling per hour for eight hours, and eighteenpence per hour for every hour overtime. An inspection of the pay-sheets for the last five weeks proves this to be correct. The trouble appears to be that Mr. Cheek will not recognise the union as such, but reserves to himself the right to employ whom he likes so long as he pays the union prices and observes the eight-hour system. At present none of the men working for him are union men; three of them were, but they have seceded from the union ranks. There is not the slightest sign of any disturbance nor any indication of Mr. Cheek's men leaving; in fact, they were at work till past 3 o'clock this morning loading the steamer Maitland, resumed work at 9 o'clock, and went home to sleep for the rest of the day, or till the steamer comes in for wool.

CASUALTIES.

SUICIDE AT MANLY.

About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a man named James Walsh reported to the Manly police that just previously he had been walking on the ridge overlooking Shelly Beach, near the Quarantine fence, when he saw a man without coat and hat standing on a rock close to the water's edge. A heavy sea washed round him and he threw himself into it and disappeared. Walsh ran to the place, but could see nothing more of him. On the edge of the rock a cap and a white duck jacket were found, and these were handed over to the police. In one of the pockets of the jacket there were a letter and a piece of brown paper bearing two twopenny stamps obliterated, and the name and address, Mr. Taylor, porter, railway station, Katoomba. About 10 minutes previous to the occurrence the Rev. Mr. Evans, of Manly, was sitting on a rock near Shelly Beach, when he saw a man wearing a white coat, and carrying a small parcel, pass in a rather excited manner. The police made all possible search, but could not find any further trace of the man. The letter referred to above was written as a warning to men against the influence of women. The writer had, it seems, won the affections of a girl whom he called "Minnie." After a time she jilted him for another, just as she had previously jilted one named "Doyle" for the writer. He states his intention of committing suicide, and says that she will be to blame. The letter is signed "Jack."

A serious accident happened yesterday morning to a labourer named William Keep, at the Hunter River S.S. Company's Wharf, foot of Market-street. He was engaged hoisting a bundle of hay on to a cart by means of a winch, and before the bale had reached its intended position Keep released his hold of the winch handle. The handle at once began to revolve with great velocity, and struck the unfortunate man a terrible blow on the head, rendering him insensible. Upon being conveyed to the Sydney Hospital it was found that he had sustained a longitudinal fracture of the frontal bone. He was admitted to the institution for treatment.

A lad named Alfred Collier, 13 years of age, was admitted to the Sydney Hospital yesterday suffering from internal injuries. It is stated that while attempting to cross Union-street, Pyrmont, he was knocked down by a cart, one of the wheels of the vehicle passing over him.

MORE MUNICIPAL MUDDLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—You were good enough to insert a short letter from me last week. May I trench on your space once more? Your pithy leader in yesterday's sheet should vex the spacious souls of our aldermen. But I am not going to dwell upon their capacity to grasp the situation into which they will drift. If they don't seize the present chance of proving their competency to carry out this necessary work that is their look-out. There are two courses I would fain take the liberty of suggesting to be done to put them to shame over their supineness. The first that the committee which some weeks back organised a public afternoon meeting should take up the running, and hold a mass evening gathering at the Town Hall. I reckon me there would be a roll up. Have resolutions passed urging the Mayor and his confreres to go in for the "betterment" of the city in this locality. Let this committee be a permanent one until the object is attained. Keep pegging away like the railway committee did. Then should this fail, get up a deputation to urge on the Ministry to forthwith resume, as was done with Post Office-street. Sir H. Parkes has but to gazette resumption, and the thing will be done. At least the lethargic action of the aldermen—saving about half-a-dozen of them—shows if they can't carry out this work they are not worthy to be entrusted with larger powers. In fact, it points to the fast approaching time when the corporation must be superseded by a more go-ahead set of men, say commissioners, and that a Board of Works be instituted to grapple with great city improvements.

I am, &c.,

January 16. S. SCOTT.

A case in connection with the Salvation Army, which is exciting much interest in India, is that of Mr. Drysdale, lately Deputy-Commissioner of Police in the Punjaub. He seems to have been an excellent officer, and to have earned the esteem of everybody with whom he came in contact. He worked for a time as a Salvation Army preacher and lay missionary in his district. But his official superiors objected to this on the ground that the Government of India by covenant and charter has contracted not to interfere in any degree with the religious feelings of the natives, and in particular not to proselytise. Mr. Drysdale recognised this, and at once gave up his direct connection with the Salvation Army and undertook to make no further attempts to proselytise. But he declined to give up certain religious services which he was in the habit of holding. It was pointed out to him that this also was against the rules for an official, and in the end he preferred to resign the service, and thus acquire a freedom to pursue his religious work which, according to rule and promise of the Government, he could not have in an official situation. It is in consequence of this episode that the Government has been denounced as "atheistic, despotic, cold-blooded, and monstrous," although Mr. Drysdale himself, it is said, understands and quite acquiesces in the position.—*Times.*

There are in France about 5000 square miles of water, represented by lakes and ponds alone, which yield £160,000 annually from the fish cultivated in them. In Austria still water is valued at 36s per acre; and to show the profitable nature of fish farming, one small estate alone in Bohemia forwards to Vienna annually 500,000 cf carp.

Rowlands' Kalydor cools and refreshes the skin in hot weather; removes freckles, tan, sunburn, redness, roughness, &c.; soothes and heals irritation, insect stings, and produces a lovely, delicate complexion. Ask chemists for Rowlands' Kalydor, of 20 Hatton Garden, London. No other is genuine.—[Advt.]

GOUT.
"Bishop's" Effervescent Citrate of Lithia is the best preventive of gout. All doctors prescribe it. Sold by all Chemists throughout the colonies, and of the Sole Inventors, Alfred Bishop and Sons, 48 Spelman-street, London, England.—[Advt.]

What Shall I Drink?—The Lancet says, "We have tasted the Montserrat Lime-Fruit Juice, and found it sound and free from adulteration. It is a far more wholesome drink than any form of alcohol." Caution.—Beware of imitations. Sold by all storekeepers. Sydney—Davidson Bros. or Elliott Bros.—[Advt.]

To Overcome Weakness.—Pepper's Quinine and Iron Tonic gives new life, appetite, health, strength, energy; cures neuralgia, indigestion, nerve debility. Bottles, 2s 6d. Insist on having Pepper's Tonic.—[Advt.]

Ayer's Cathartic Pills are suited to every age. They are mild and pleasant in action, thorough and searching in effect, and, being sugar-coated, are easy to take. These Pills never fail to give satisfaction.—[Advt.]

Lions differ. The lion of the Atlas Mountains is a terror the Cape lion a cur. The lion among scouring soaps is SAPOLIO.
Buy a cake and avoid all imitations.—[Advt.]

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

The pantomime of "Cinderella" still draws large houses, but its run, as announced at Christmas, is limited to the end of this month. The production reflects great credit on the enterprise of Mr. George Musgrove, for the pantomime is beautifully mounted, the scenery and costumes being alike magnificent. The company, including Miss Vera Patey as the Prince, Miss Aggie Kelton as Cinderella, Miss Lena Salinger as Dandini, and Messrs. J. R. Greville and A. G. Poulton, as the "ugly sisters," work well together, while the ballets and music leave nothing to be desired. The smoothness with which the pantomime has gone since its commencement is due in no small measure to the experienced stage direction of Mr. Frank Emery. A morning performance of "Cinderella," the second of the season, will be given to-day.

HER MAJESTY'S.

"Dick Whittington and his Cat" continues to attract immense and well-pleased audiences. There is every sign that Mr. Rignold's pantomime will enjoy the lengthy run which we anticipated. It tells a story in pleasant, old-fashioned style, and it is illustrated with delightful scenery and capital effects of a mechanical kind. The favourite actress, Miss Maggie Moore, has increased her reputation by her spirited embodiment of Dick. She is the life and soul of the piece, but she is ably assisted by the various members of Mr. Rignold's company, including Miss Madge Seymour, a sprightly Alice, and Mr. Frank Ayrton, who is very amusing both in the "opening" and as Clown. Mr. Rignold will give his second morning performance on Wednesday next.

CRITERION.

Mr. H. Hamilton's drama, "Harvest," has been witnessed by large and interested audiences during the week. The play is excellently acted by Messrs. Brough and Boucicault's company, with Mr. G. S. Titheradge, Mr. Dion Boucicault, Mr. Percy Lyndal, Mr. Frank Cates, Miss Maud Williamson, Miss Fanny Enson, and Miss Brenda Gibson in the chief parts. Mr. Spong's charming scenery is the subject of nightly admiration. It is unusually good, even for this accomplished artist. "Harvest" is so successful that a change of bill will not be made until the week after next, when "Comrades," a popular London play, by Brandon Thomas and B. C. Stephenson, will be presented.

GARRICK.

Mr. Henry Arthur Jones's powerful and homely play of English life, "The Middleman," enthusiastically received on its first night in Sydney, is rapidly growing in favour. The new and convenient theatre in Castlereagh-street has been well filled during the week, and the play and the chief actors in it have met with genuine applause. Mr. Charles Cartwright's Cyrus Blenkarn is a particularly able performance, while Miss Olga Nethersole makes the comparatively small part of the heroine stand out by reason of her finished acting. The disagreeable character of the plebeian Mr. Chandler is effectively portrayed by Mr. Edward Sass, who, both in make-up and acting, hits off the part with much success. Mr. H. R. Jewett, in a very small part, is also deserving of high praise. "The Middleman" will remain in the bill of this theatre until further notice.

DRAMATIC NOTES.

The most important event in London theatrical circles at the beginning of last month was the opening of the new Olympic Theatre on Thursday, December 4, by Mr. Wilson Barrett. The new theatre has been built on the site of the old Olympic, but it is a more commodious house than that known to the frequenters of the theatre which it has replaced. It is provided with a large and comfortable pit, and Mr. Barrett has placed the prices of admission at a lower rate than is the case at the other West End theatres, the orchestra stalls being 6s, instead of the usual half-guinea, while 2s only is the charge for pit seats. Mr. Barrett's opening piece is "The People's Idol," a drama in four acts, by himself and Mr. Victor Widnell. The hero, who believes himself to be a murderer, is played by Mr. Barrett, Miss Winifred Emery acting the heroine. The best of the female parts, however, from an acting point of view, is that of an adventuress. Mr. Barrett's example in the matter of "popular prices" will also be followed by Mr. George Alexander, who intends to revive the 2s pit when he assumes the management of the St. James's Theatre.

Dion Boucicault's comedy, "London Assurance," has never been more agreeably presented to the theatrical public than under the auspices of Mr Charles Wyndham, who revived the play at the Criterion Theatre on November 27. Mr. Wyndham dressed the comedy in the costume of 1841—when the piece was produced at Covent Garden Theatre—with the beaver hats, shortwaisted frocks, and flowered waistcoats of the period. Mr. Wyndham played the difficult part of Dazzle with characteristic spirit and vivacity, Mrs. Bernard-Beere being the Lady Gay Spanker. An actor well and favourably known in Australia, Mr. B. B. Vincent, was the Max Harkaway.

"A Million of Money," which has been a great success at Drury Lane, has been transferred to Covent Garden Theatre. Mr. Grundy's clever comedy "A Pair of Spectacles," which was lately seen in Sydney, has passed its 250th representation at the Garrick Theatre. This comedy is also a tremendous success at the Madison Square Theatre, New York. "Dr. Bill," with which local playgoers are likewise acquainted, has passed its 100th night at the Garden Theatre in the same city.

The death is announced from London of a comic actor, who was before the public for more than 30 years. Mr. Henry Jeffries Ashley, who died of typhoid fever in St. Thomas's Hospital, was born in London, where he made his professional appearance at the St. James's Theatre, under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wigan, in 1860. He was a nephew of the late Dr. Doran, whose contributions to the literature of the stage are so valuable. Very early in his career, at the St. James's Theatre, at the time when Miss Herbert was manageress, and before Mr. Henry Irving returned to London, Mr. Ashley exhibited a strong vein of eccentric comedy in a *lever de rideau*, taken from the French, called "Under the Rose," and from that moment he worked away steadily at the Adelphi and all the best-known London theatres, where he was certain of an engagement. When the mania for adapted French farcical comedy came in, Mr. Ashley found himself cast for the "wicked old men," bland, seemingly innocent, but very deep. His success in "Pink Dominos" and other plays of a similar class decided his vocation, and few modern opera-bouffes have been without Mr. Ashley as the polished, cynical and dissolute marquis. He was an able actor, with a considerable fund of humour, and a neat, refined style. He will be sincerely regretted by his brother actors, with whom he was very popular.

The death also occurred, at the end of November, of Mrs. Scott, wife of the well-known dramatic critic, Mr. Clement Scott. Mrs. Scott, who died at Saltash, Cornwall, was the sister of Mr. George du Maurier, the celebrated *Punch* artist.

Mr. E. J. Odell, a familiar figure in the Savage Club, and an entertainer of quaint humor, meditates a trip to this country.

The "star system" is fairly played out in Paris. Sardou's "Cléopâtre" has failed, despite the acting of Sarah Bernhardt and the magnificence of the mounting. After the failure of "Cléopâtre" the reaction has come, and the Parisians demand plays and *ensemble*, not mere names. There was a time when the name of a "star" on the bill was enough to fill the house; but, as a correspondent points out, "one-part pieces do not draw a shilling, and playgoers have become tired of the mere *réclame* of Sarah Bernhardt, Judic, Granier, and Chaumont." So "Cléopâtre" has been succeeded by the well-worn "Dame aux Camelias," which is, after all, not one of the great performances of Sarah Bernhardt.

The success of the hour in Paris is "Ma Cousine," by Henri Meilhac, at the Variétés, but all Anglo-Parisians wonder how such a plot can by any possibility be adapted for English tastes. The adapter who can re-arrange it to make it palatable "will deserve a statue." The acting of Réjane is described as superb. Nature having denied this gifted lady her supreme gifts, art has supplied the deficiency. During the whole of the first act Réjane never leaves the sofa on which she is seated, but her business and tact are described as marvellous.

The destruction by fire of the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York, was announced by cable in this paper a few days since. It was at this house that Mr. and Mrs. Kendal repeated their New York triumphs quite recently, crowding the theatre night after night throughout a long season, and winning enthusiastic praise from press and public. It was at this theatre that, on the afternoon of November 22, a benefit was given to Mrs. Agnes Robertson Boucicault. The receipts amounted to £425. Miss Nina Boucicault took part in the entertainment. Mrs. Boucicault, whose appearance on the stage was hailed with prolonged cheers and a shower of applause, played in the telegraph scene from "The Long Strike." On December 8, Miss Margaret Mather was due to appear in a modified version of the "Joan of Arc," in which Sarah Bernhardt acted in Paris and London last year. Oddly enough, another Bernhardt play was due on December 22, and this was probably in the bill at the time that the Fifth Avenue Theatre was burnt. The piece in question was Sardou's "Cléopâtre," which Miss Fanny Davenport was to produce on the date mentioned. Hermann's Theatre, which which was destroyed on the same occasion, was opened with jugglery feats by Charles Hermann, the well-known conjuror.

The Kendals are not the only English actors who have lately been successful in New York. Mr. E. S. Willard made his first appearance there, at Palmer's Theatre, on November 10, as Cyrus Blenkarn in "The Middleman," and created an instantaneous success. His acting in this character is eulogised by all the leading papers, especially by Mr. William Winter, the accomplished critic of the *New York Tribune*, who immediately penned a remarkable and eulogistic essay on Mr. Willard's Cyrus Blenkarn. On November 11, New York was the scene of another interesting first night; "The Idler," a four-act comedy by Mr. C. Haddon Chambers, being presented at the Lyceum Theatre in advance of the contemplated London production by Mr. Alexander. At the date of the last mail from New York, Mr. Willard in "The Middleman," and "The Idler," had both commenced their fifth week with every prospect of lengthened success.

ALHAMBRA MUSIC HALL.

There have been large audiences at the above popular music hall during the week, and patrons have no cause to complain of the entertainment provided for them. On Monday evening Miss Wallace and Miss Florence Schuler made their re-appearance, both artistes being accorded a hearty welcome. The burlesque of "Aladdin, or the Wonderful Scamp," has proved such a decided draw that the management have determined to play it until further notice. This afternoon, a matinee will be given, and a change in the first portion of the bill will take place on Monday.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, SOUTH HEAD.

A tea meeting was held at Watson's Bay, on January 14, under the presidency of the Rev. Dr. Roseby, chairman of the Congregational Union. The music was given by members of the Petersham Social Glee Club: the soloists were Mrs. Miller, the Misses Irish Messrs. T. G. Lloyd, Gillham, and Fred Barnett. Mr. Scoon gave a cornet solos, American airs, &c. Mr. T. W. Miller acted as accompanist throughout. The pieces were well received and re-demanded. Speeches were made by the Revs. W. R. Poole, pastor, S. Dunkley, Canterbury, and Mr. Simeon Brown, Burwood. There was a good attendance of about 300 persons, and an enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

THE PHONOGRAPH.

The phonograph will be on view at 326 George-street to-day, for the last time. At each recital a recitation by Henry Irving from "Hamlet" will be given.

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS.

At the School of Arts the Vaudeville Comedy and Specialty Company and Chas. Faning's Comedy Company are drawing fair houses with a variety entertainment. To-night, there will be a complete change of programme, and the company will be strengthened with additional talent.

SHAKESPEAREAN FESTIVAL.

Considering the inclement weather, there was a large attendance last evening at the Shakespearean festival at St. Benedict's Hall, Abercrombie-street. Since the commencement of these entertainments three weeks ago they have become very popular in the district. There are eight fancy stalls, presided over by ladies attired in Shakespearean costumes, and everything in connection with the entertainment is representative of the plays of Shakespeare. The hall presents a very pretty appearance, and the decorations have been artistically arranged under the supervision of the Rev. John Robinson. The various stalls and the costumes of the attendants are representative of the characters in "Hamlet," "Macbeth," "As You Like It," "King Lear," "Othello," "Midsummer Night's Dream," "Romeo and Juliet," and the "Merchant of Venice." The bazaar, which has been opened for the purpose of liquidating a debt of £7000 contracted in connection with the erection of the school buildings, will remain open for another week.

COOGEE AQUARIUM.

Mr. Larmour announces for to-day a varied programme. There is Professor Beckford, ventriloquist and illusionist; a London Punch and Judy show, Marionette performances, and a variety entertainment.

BONDI AQUARIUM.

A variety entertainment has been arranged for to-day at the Bondi Aquarium. Tracey and Adam's Specialty Company will make their first appearance here, and Mr. C. Ritchie will give his initial performance. Miss Phoebe Levy, who is noted as the champion lady skater and skipping danseuse, is announced to appear.

In our advertising columns, a picturesque concert in the Temperance Hall is announced for to-night.

The Dragon Troupe of Japanese, occupying the boards at the New Canterbury Hall, Haymarket, has drawn tolerably good houses during the week. A change of programme will take place this evening.

The realistic painting of the famous Battle of Gettysburg on view at the Cyclorama, George-street, is apparently as great a source of attraction as ever. The conversational lectures descriptive of the memorable contest are growing in favour, and the bugle-calls, musketry-firing, cannonading, &c., add immensely to the effect produced upon the spectator. The show is one which must be seen to be thoroughly appreciated.

FORTHCOMING MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

There is not much stir in Parramatta in regard to the elections at present. Aldermen Ritchie, Brodie, Dillon, and Dixon retire. Alderman Brodie will not seek re-election. Alderman Ritchie will be opposed by Mr. J. W. Withers, an ex-alderman; and Gore Ward, vacated by Alderman Brodie, will in all probability be contested by Messrs. F. C. Cox and J. M. Perrier. Aldermen Dellow and Dixon will probably have a walk over.

Aldermen Hollier, Austin, and Paton retire at Prospect and Sherwood, and in all probability they will seek re-election. At present no fresh candidates are announced.

At Dundas, Aldermen Franks, Ryan, and Grime retire. Alderman Grime will not seek re-election for his ward; and Messrs. F. C. Cox and Cowell will contest the seat. Alderman Ryan may have opposition from Messrs. G. W. Mills and W. Hayes.

The Granville elections will cause some interest. Alderman Palmer, the retiring alderman of North Ward, will be opposed by Mr. G. Forsyth. In East Ward, Alderman Bennett will seek re-election, and will possibly have some opposition from Mr. M'Leod. Alderman Fewster, who retires in West Ward, is mentioned as a possible candidate, with Mr. J. Spears as an opponent.

Mr. H. E. Farmer, of Manly, has agreed to allow himself to be nominated as a candidate for the Fairlight Ward, Manly municipal district.

At Rockdale there are several candidates for the pending aldermanic vacancies. In Scarborough Ward, the retiring alderman (Mr. Cook) seeks re-election, and is considered likely to poll well. He has an opponent in the field in the form of Mr. F. A. Beehag. The retiring alderman in Arncliffe ward, Alderman S. Jeeves, again offers himself. Messrs. W. Hislipp and John Clayton propose to contest this seat. There are more candidates still for the representation of Rockdale Ward. Alderman Thomas A. Price, who has been in the council for four and a half years, again offers himself. Alderman Price is a resident of the locality, and has for years past been identified with numerous public movements which have proved to be of local benefit. A preliminary meeting of his friends and supporters was held last evening at the Town Hall, Rockdale. Alderman Price claims to have been the first to move in the matter of planting trees in the streets of the borough, and the first to call a public meeting to arrange for a free public library in the locality. He has further interested himself in the train service and other matters, and opposes the suggestion to pay the Mayor of the municipality a salary. So far as is at present known, the other candidates are Messrs. Thomas Evans, Edward Hordern, and W. Bryant.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

BATHURST, Friday.

As the period for the annual municipal elections approaches several probable candidates are mentioned as likely to contest seats for some of the vacancies. The retiring aldermen are Messrs. E. T. Webb, W. Tremain, Jacob Knight, and P. Fowler.

BOURKE, Friday.

At the aldermanic elections Aldermen Gray, Donohoe, and Macfarlane retire by effluxion of time. The two former seek re-election.

GOSFORD, Friday.

At a special meeting of the municipal council last night, Alderman Burns was elected returning officer. The Mayor (Mr. H. C. Wheeler) and Alderman M. Ward retire by effluxion of time. The latter will not seek re-election.

GOULBURN, Friday.

The aldermen who retire are Messrs. Richardson, Roberts, Gillespie, and Quirk. Alderman Roberts intends to seek re-election.

JUNEE, Friday.

Aldermen Blatch, John Egan, and G. J. Roberts retire. The latter, who is district superintendent of railways, will not seek re-election, having been promoted to Wellington. Messrs. Blatch and Egan offer themselves. Alderman Robertson has resigned, having left the district. The election for an extraordinary vacancy will take place at the same time as the other. The probable candidates are Messrs. Laurence, Maloney, and William Carter.

KATOOMBA, Friday.

The annual elections on the 3rd February are exciting little interest at present, Aldermen Edwards and Thompson retiring, but only the former intends offering himself for re-election. At present no other candidates have definitely come forward.

MUSWELLBROOK, Friday.

There will be four aldermanic seats to fill at the coming municipal elections in Muswellbrook, but up to the present only one candidate, Mr. James Cain, has been publicly announced.

PENRITH, Friday.

The candidates for the municipal election are announced as follow:—Castlereagh Ward, T. R. Smith; North Ward, P. O'Connell; South Ward, L. Litton and A. Reid. There are likely to be several more in the field.

TENTERFIELD, Friday.

The aldermen retiring this year are:—W. Reid, West Ward; J. Cozall, North Ward; John Williams, South Ward. The two former are candidates for re-election.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

The municipal election, held next month, is not at present engaging much attention. The Mayor (R. A. Young), Aldermen Crothers, Brunker, and Taylor retire, and will seek re-election. No other candidates are spoken of as yet.

YOUNG, Friday.

The municipal elections in February are not creating much interest at present. A meeting of the recently-formed Ratepayers' Association is to be held on Monday next, when no doubt the matter will receive attention. The Mayor (Alderman Horne) does not intend to offer himself for re-election. The other two aldermen, Messrs. Kogan and Forsythe, will be candidates for re-election.

KIAMA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

KIAMA, Friday.

The regular meeting of the Kiama Borough Council was held in the Protestant Hall, Jamberoo, to-day. Among the incoming communications was one from the Board of Health, furnishing by the request of the council a description of the cattle disease known as actinomycosis, which is described as a disease very much like tuberculosis. It has been described by veterinarians under the names of lumpy jaw, Wean's tuberculosis, swelling cancer, strumous, and abscesses. Actinomycosis is an infectious disease to which cattle are most liable. It also attacks mankind, pigs, and horses. It is caused by the ray fungus. The fungus usually attacks the inner surface of the mouth, attaching itself to sores or abrasions that may be caused by prickly or coarse food, and especially to sores on the gums during second dentition, when it frequently invades the teeth sockets. As the parasite grows these spots of disease develop into tumours, ulcers, or abscesses, destroying the healthy tissues. Even the bones give way to disease. The spores or minute fungi are conveyed in the circulation and lymphatic canals to various parts of the body, so that actinomic growth is found in the lymphatic glands, the lungs, and intestinal membranes, but principally and most extensively in the tongue, jaws, throat glands and their vicinity, clearly indicating the source of infection to be in the food, according to Jenson. The fungus grows on grain, husks, and straw of different kinds, but most abundantly on barley. Another letter was from the local road superintendent, informing the council of his intention to take levels for a bridge at Waugh's Creek, on the road from Kiama to Jamberoo, where he considers a bridge is required.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day there was very little business. Tooth's Brewery were dearer, quotations for others being unaltered. On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sale was reported at 1 o'clock:—Hudson Bros., 4s 9d. Closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
BANKS.					
Australian J. S.	25	25½	New Zealand	5	5¼
City	—	16½	Ditto, new	3¼	4
Commercial	121	—	N.Z. Auck. reg	4¼	10½/
Federal	—	72/	Ditto, new	4½	4½
Mercantile	—	60/	Q. National	4¼	8¼
North Q'land	—	72/	Rl. Bk. Q'land	5¼	—
N. S. Wales	67½	68	Union	63	—
STEAM.					
Balmain Ferry	—	16/6	Newcastle pref., £1 paid	—	4
C. R. and M. R.	19/	22/	10/ paid	—	8/
Hunter River	4¼	—	N.S. Ferry	40/	—
Illawarra	4½	—	Port Jackson	—	40/
Newcastle	—	4/			
INSURANCE.					
Aust. Mutual	—	15/	New Zealand	67/	—
City Mutual	1/8	2/3	N. S. W.	—	2
Merc. Mutual	6/	—	United	—	7¾/
GAS.					
Aust. Gaslight	14¼	14½	North Shore	26/	27/
New Issue	—	9	New, 1s paid	2/4	3/0
Goulburn	35/	42/6			
BREWERIES.					
Australian	—	20/	Tooth's	19/3	19/6
Castlemaine and Wood Bros.	20/6	—	Marshall's	4/9	—
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Aarons' Hotel	7/6	8/	Shale and Oil	5/2	5/6
City Carrying	—	2/3	Saywell's	10/9	12/3
Colonial Sugar	—	135	Syd. Exchange	—	4
Ditto, £20 paid	23	24	Sydney Hydraulic, 10 pd	17/6	—
Hudson Bros.	4/7	4/10	Ditto, 7/ paid	—	15/3
Ditto, new	—	4/	S. T. and O.	—	24/
Melb. Tram	95/	—			
Pictur. Atlas	—	17/			
INVESTMENT AND FINANCE, &c.					
Assets Realization, ex div.	3/	3/6	Perm. Trustee	4/3	4/6
Col. Finance	4/4	4/9	Perp. Trustee	21/	22/
M'tgage Guar.	4/6	—	Real Estate	—	7/
Mont de Piété	20/	27/6	Syd. Agency	—	1/
LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES, &c.					
Anglo-Aust., £5 pd.	—	6	Sydney and Sub., £1 pd.	—	23/
Ditto, 20s pd.	15/	—	Sydney Permanent	—	34½
Ind'trial Prov.	20	21½			
Mercantile	—	8/			

On the Stock Exchange of New South Wales the following sale was reported to-day:—Permanent Trustee, 4s 3d. Quotations: Australian Banking Company, seller 89s; North Shore Ferry Steam, buyer 39s, seller 41s 6d; Port Jackson Steam, seller 39s 6d; City Mutual Insurance, buyer 1s 10d, seller 2s 2d; United Insurance, buyer 70s, seller 75s; Colonial Finance, buyer 4s 6d, seller 4s 10d; Real Estate, seller 6s 6d; Anglo-Australian Investment, buyer 16s, seller 17s 6d; Australian Mutual Building, seller 55s; Land Company of Australasia, seller 42s 6d; Sydney and Suburban Land, buyer 23s 9d, seller 25s.

The half-yearly meeting of the Port Jackson Steamship Company, Limited, was held to-day, Captain T. Heselton in the chair. The report shows that the balance now at credit of the profit and loss account, after maintaining the plant in efficient working order, is £2229, out of which it is proposed to pay a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, amounting to £1800, and to carry forward the balance of £429 to next half-year. The report was adopted, and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the directors and officers of the company.

We understand that at the half-yearly meeting of the City Bank, to be held at the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday next, the directors will recommend a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, absorbing £14,000, and carry forward £6116.

The forty-eighth half-yearly report of the Commercial Bank of Australia, which appears in our special advertisement column, shows that the net profits for the half-year had been £132,080, and the previous balance £25,181, giving for distribution £157,262, which it is proposed to appropriate as follows:—To dividend at the rate of 17½ per cent. per annum, £105,000; to reserve fund £20,000, making it £1,020,000; to reduction of bank premises account £5000; leaving to be carried forward £27,262. The directors recommend that, as the present authorised capital of the bank amounting to £3,000,000 has been fully subscribed, the nominal capital should be increased to £5,000,000.

From the half-yearly report of the Financial Guarantee and Agency Company of Queensland we learn that the net profit, after providing for bad and doubtful debts, is £2224, which, with £74 brought forward, amounts to £2298, and the directors recommend that this balance shall be dealt with in the following manner:—The payment of dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, £1403; add to reserve fund, £500; write off preliminary expenses, £200; provide for dividend tax, £39; leaving a balance to be carried forward of £155.

The report of the Tamworth Gas Company for the half-year ended 31st December shows a net profit of £662, which, with balance from net revenue, £55, left to be distributed £718, which the directors proposed to do as follows:—Dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum absorbing £400; written off plant, £150; balance to next account, £168.

The half-yearly statement of accounts of the Australasian Steam Navigation Company shows at credit of profit and loss the sum of £5172.

The seventeenth half-yearly report of the Balmain Steam Ferry Company, for presentation to the shareholders on Wednesday next, shows that, inclusive of £2095 brought forward, and after maintaining the plant in an efficient state of repair, the accounts showed a balance at credit of profit and loss of £5846, which it is proposed to deal with as follows:—To pay the usual dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, say £2925; write off steamer account, £2000; off leasehold wharf property, £218 17s; leaving a balance of £703 to carry forward to next half-year.

Money appears to be fairly plentiful for loan operations in the London market. The Cape of Good Hope 3½ per cent. loan of £1,190,000 has been covered more than fourfold, £4,750,000 having been subscribed, the estimated average being £108. In March last the Cape of Good Hope received an average of £100 3s 3d for a 3½ per cent. loan of £1,150,000. An exact comparison is impossible until we know the terms of the present loan.

For the Melbourne Tramways and Omnibus Company's loan of £130,000, the sum of £248,000 has been subscribed at about £108 7s 6d, the debentures carrying interest at the rate of 4½ per cent.

In the Import markets a steady business continues to be done. The country trade is, it is thought, interfered with by harvesting operations, and when these are complete, greater activity is looked for. The flour market is without material change. Old flour, roller brands, are selling at £9 10s to £9 15s; new, £9 7s 6d to £9 10s. Wheat may be quoted as firm at 3s 9d. The tenor of news from the Western districts is that wheat is scarce, and is little likely to be available for this market. In the Southern districts we hear of transactions at equal to 3s 9½d, delivered in Sydney. The Adelaide market is firm, with sales at 3s 8½d, and in Victoria the market is hardening, after sales at 3s 7d. At Christchurch Tuscan wheat was quoted at 3s 6d to 3s 8d on the 1st January. Messrs. George G. Stead and P. Cuningham and Co. thus refer to the state of the New Zealand crops and prospects at Christchurch on the date named here:—

As was anticipated at the date of our last circular, the volume of our exports fell away during December, and has now shrunk into very insignificant proportions, while locally purchases have been restricted to actual wants. At the same time, the certainty of a partial failure in our crops has raised the hopes of holders, and old stocks have been, for the present, withdrawn from the market in the expectation of a near advance in values. During the month the Brabloch, Firth of Dornoch, Aibuera, and Carbet Castle arrived to load for London; the only departure for that port being the Strathgryfe, with a large cargo, chiefly consisting of wool. The grave fears excited by the abnormally small rainfall of the last six months have, we regret to say, been only too well founded, and in many instances the worst apprehensions of growers have been realised. Certainly the oldest resident cannot call to mind so long a period of dry, parching weather—the rainfall during 1890 having scarcely exceeded an inch a month, or about half the average for many years past. Beyond doubt the yield of wheat will be an unusually light one, and the opinion has been freely expressed that we shall have barely sufficient to cover over our own requirements. This view, however, we consider too pessimistic. Oats and barley are undoubtedly the greatest sufferers, and it is questionable whether rain would now be of much assistance to them; in fact, many crops on light dry lands will not pay for cutting, and have been abandoned to sheep and cattle. The want of moisture has told terribly on root crops and pastures, and nothing short of several days' drenching rain can retrieve them. As we write, showery weather has set in, and there is every appearance of rain continuing. Wheat: Stocks of old seasons are now very slender, and holders, in view of the diminished area sown this season, coupled with a material deficiency in the yield, are apparently content to chance the future; consequently business is limited, the only change being a hardening tendency in winter wheat.

There is a moderate trade doing in tea; and among other transactions may be mentioned one of a parcel of 200 half-chests at 9¼d, also of a line of boxes at 12s 6d, and a quantity of tea at about 10½d. Bonded stocks compare with the figures at the corresponding date of last year, as follow:—

—	Chests.	Half-chests.	Boxes.	Packages.
January 16, 1891	3411	80,151	12,176	2372
January 17, 1890	2047	80,175	28,147	3175

It will be seen that stocks are about 1,000,000lb. short of the figures of last year. There is very little doing in coffee; 13½d is the quotation for No. 1 Ceylon plantation. Barry's chicory, 2½d; Epps's cocoa, 1s 6½d; sales of Fry's cocoa made at agents' late quotations. The market for dried fruits exhibits rather more animation. One or two lines of currants have been placed at 4½d. Elemes done at 7d. Valencias at 5d. Muscatels have fallen very flat since Christmas, the sales of the season having been much below the average. American canned fruit of good brands assorted sold at 11s 9d, the market being firm. Jams are in moderate request, quotations being unaltered. Fine table rice is now procurable at £18 10s, stocks being moderate. Eastern advices indicating an advance on the lowest point reached, which may be accentuated by the exchange movement, although this is somewhat erratic. The lower grades of rice are selling at 3d, and to arrive at 2½d. Pepper, white 9½d, black, 6d. Moderately large sales of good quality sugar are noticed at about £24, some holders refusing to sell at under £25 to £25 10s for best samples. Yellow sugars, £20 to £22 10s; Browns from £23. Bonded stock this week amounts to 9495 tons, 726 tons having been imported, while only 171 tons have been issued, of which 38 tons were exported. From the Northern rivers 2884 bags and 16 tons, have been received during the week. The position of sugar in Queensland is thus referred to by Tuesday's Courier:—

The sugar position locally is practically unaltered, holders waiting for a rise. The export of sugar from Mackay from the 1st July to the 31st of December, 1890, amounted to 16,177 tons, valued at £275,582. The quantity exported and removed coastwise to the 31st December last year was 11,694. The total quantity sent away during the past year was 18,922 tons, valued at £326,666. The Standard says that a week or two more of fine weather would enable the whole of the factories to finish up their season's work, but should the wet season, which is daily threatening to set in, commence, the small amount of standover cane which will remain for early crushing next July will not very materially affect the total output for the season. It is probable, nay almost certain, that when the returns come in up to the year of March this year it will be found that the crop has exceeded 20,000 tons, and Mackay will once more have shown herself capable of very materially forwarding the progress of the colony by her contribution to its agricultural products. The estimated crop for the whole colony is 60,000 tons, and this cannot have been produced at a less cost than £10 per ton. Thus we have an industry which this past year has caused an expenditure of £600,000 within the colony. The Bundaberg returns from 1880-81 to 1889, of sugar exported coastwise and beyond the colony, are given thus:—Year 1880-81, 251 tons; year 1882, 465 tons 11cwt., value £10,365; year 1883, 6775 tons, value £216,282; year 1884, 5571 tons 6cwt., value £146,928; year 1885, 7323 tons 19cwt., value £164,788; year 1886, 17,428 tons, value £340,976; year 1887, 13,096 tons, value £236,485; year 1888, 13,790 tons, value £308,422; year 1889, 9297 tons, value £214,340; year 1890, 17,930 tons, value £347,057. The Mackay and Bundaberg returns for the present season will not fall short of 40,000 tons, and the figures now available strengthen the belief that the total yield will be over 60,000 tons.

There is more inquiry for fish, sardines worth 3s 6d to 3s 10½d in quarters; and 5s 6d to 6s 3d in halves; tinned salmon, 6s to 7s; fresh herrings, 4s 9d to 5s; Marshall's ling noticed at 5½d. Liverpool coarse salt was sold at 77s 6d, Black Horse being quoted to 85s. White rock salt is procurable at 65s; red is scarce, and held for 75s. Candles are somewhat easier, owing to low figures being accepted from Melbourne. Schiedams being offered there at 4½d. For De R. J., 6d, duty paid, is quoted. General grocery goods are unaltered in price. A shipment of English hops to arrive sold at 2s 10d. Colonial hops of best quality obtainable at 1s 6d. English malt is being sold at 7s 6d to 8s in trade parcels, according to quality. A good demand noticed for Usher's whisky at full rates. Liquids generally are unchanged on the day. Kerosene is offered at from 9½d, in bond, for high-test; good trade sales of Snowflake advised at from 1s 6d to 1s 8d, duty paid, according to quantity. Castor oil may be quoted as weak at 3s 6d, three halfpence less being accepted to arrive. Latest Calcutta cable news reports a rather firmer market. China oil, 3s 11d to 4s. American turps, 2s 10d to 3s, according to quantity. Raw and boiled oil, scarce, and in demand, 3s 5d to 3s 7d in drum. The higher cost of soda crystals has caused a sharp advance locally, and £6 is asked, to arrive; for 70 per cent. caustic soda £17 was paid; bluestone, £28 paid. Cream of tartar, 13½; tartaric acid, 1s 4½d, in kegs. For woolpacks, to arrive, 1s 9d paid. Cornsacks are moving off at 6s 4d to 6s 6d, according to parcel; bran bags, 4s 9d to 4s 10d. In building materials, redwood noticed at 20s, oregon 12s 6d to 30s. Anchor brand cement in quantity was placed for Queensland. Cement generally is offering freely at 14s 6d to 15s per barrel.

Respecting the wool market, a correspondent writes from London on December 12:—"The fifth and last series of colonial wool sales for the present year, which commenced on November 25, is expected to close on Saturday, the 13th instant, when about 140,000 bales will have been catalogued. At the opening of these sales and for three days following hesitation prevailed amongst buyers, and prices ruled irregularly, an average fall of from 7½ to 10 per cent. on merino qualities. The difference in respect to crossbred wools does not exceed a variation of 5 per cent. below October quotations. Towards the close of the first week the market became steadier, and values for the better class of merino wool showed an improvement which has ever since been maintained, and present values may be quoted in about the following relation to those current at the end of the September-October series:—Superior Australian greasy merino (mostly old clips), ½d higher; medium Australian greasy merino (fairly free from fault), ½d lower; faulty Australian greasy merino, 1d lower; lambs, Australian greasy merino, ½d lower; superior Australian scoured merino, ½d to 1d lower; medium and strong Australian scoured merino, 1d lower; faulty Australian scoured merino, 1d to 2d lower; crossbreds, Australian greasy (including lambs), 1d lower. The new wools from Australia, with the exception of some from South Australia, are disappointing, and with buyers have not found much favour. In many instances they look light and showy, but it is thought that the actual yield will not come up to the wools of last year, as they are more deficient in staple, tender, and faulty, and when treated by the combs will not give as good a tare. It is estimated that 80,000 bales have been bought for export, including about 2000 bales for America. The quantities carried over for the next series are thought to be about 14,500 bales. The first series for 1891 has been fixed for the 27th January, and the second series the 2nd April. In the latter case the arrivals list will be open until 400,000 bales shall have come to hand. Bradford.—The market here has a quiet tone, though of late business has been rather less depressed, as the effect of the firmness in prices manifested at the London sales. The demand for all classes of wool has been restricted, but no change in prices is reported. The yarn market is still much depressed, especially for fine Botany. The export trade is without alteration. The piece market is still very quiet; the inquiry from all quarters, and especially America, is greatly reduced. The exports for the last month from the Bradford consular district to America show a heavy decline in stuffs, worsted coatings, silk, seals, and plushes, worsted yarns, the net decrease of all exports being £274,757. Both dealers and topmakers find it hard to keep all machinery going, yet as stocks are low with spinners and manufacturers, they hope in the near future to see an improvement. The market for tops is about on a par with my last quotations, excepting perhaps for good 66s, and fine good length 70s, which may be quoted at ½d to 1d dearer. The trade in the other manufacturing districts, viz., Leeds, Huddersfield, and Halifax, is very quiet, and orders both on home and export account are coming to hand slowly. Machinery is not kept going, and the immediate outlook is anything but promising."

From Messrs. M'Ilwraith, M'Eacharn, and Co.'s London freight market report of December 12 we take the following:—

Since issuing our report a fortnight back outward employment has been quiet, but rates maintained. From London, loading on the berth, we quote:—To Sydney, 32s 6d to 35s; Melbourne, 37s 6d; Adelaide, 37s 6d; Brisbane, 40s to 42s 6d; Northern Queensland ports, 47s 6d to 50s; New Zealand (one port), 37s 6d. From the Mersey and the Clyde the figures are much about the same. Home from New Zealand tonnage is still inquired for at 35s U. K., 37s 6d Cont., 2s 6d reduction direct; and from South Australia at 33s 9d to 35s, U. K. or Cont. The rates from Newcastle, N.S.W., are—For San Francisco, 18s 6d to 19s; Portland, 11s to 12s; Valparaiso and a port, 19s to 19s 6d; Madras Coast, 15s to 16s.

The ship Wavertree arrived to-day from London with general merchandise valued at £65,000.

The steamer Port Jackson cleared the Customs to-day for London and Hull via Kingston, South Australia, with 7008 bales wool, 14 bales leather, 6 bales basils, 6323 bars silver lead bullion, 297 bags antimony ore, 385 hides, 18 cases furniture, and sundries.

The steamer Suffolk cleared at the Customs to-day for Antwerp, Dunkirk, and London, via ports, with 4061 bales wool, 1028 bags matte, 68 bars bullion, 38 cakes and 6834 ingots copper, and sundries.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £2026 0s 5d; wine, still, £153 5s; wine, sparkling, £15; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £31 5s; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £439 13s 5d; tobacco and snuff, £380 19s 6d; tobacco (unmanufactured), £35 13s; tobacco (for manufacturing purposes only), £49 18s 6d; cigars, £308 8s; cigarettes, £71 5s; tea, £376 1s 11d; coffee, raw, £16 8s; sugar, unrefined, £900 10s 5d; opium, £93 19s; rice, £3; dried fruits, £23 2s 5d; sarsaparilla (under 25 per cent.), £1 0s 6d. Specific Duty: bacon and hams, £2 11s 6d; candles, £31 5s; cement, £360 5s; cheese, 1s; cocoa and chocolate, £9 1s 6d; essences over 35 per cent. of proof spirit, £1 11s 6d; fish, £146 12s 11d; galvanised iron, £1 0s 3d; galvanised manufactures, £186 5s 4d; iron and steel wire, £56; jams and jellies, £55 11s 6d; milk, £37; oil, kerosene, £260; oils, other, £170 16s; paints, £37 10s 7d; powder, sporting, £1 9s; preserves, £1 4s; salt, £275; spirits, methylated, £8; tapioca and semolina, £18 7s 6d; timber, dressed, £150; timber, undressed, £202 15s 6d; varnish, 2s. Bonded warehouses, 42 Vic., No. 19, £29 5s; harbour and light rates, £109 1s 4d; pilotage—Sydney, £168 17s 6d; harbour dues, £6; colonial distilled spirits, £46 10s 1d; excise on tobacco, £312 10d; excise on beer, £448 9s; licenses for selling tobacco and cigars, £1 15s. Total, £8379 7s 6d.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

Firm prices continue to rule for the leading investment stocks. Commercial Bank had a further rise, due partly to the action by the Mercantile Bank of Sydney towards incorporation with the Commercial. City of Melbourne Bank, Mercantile Bank, Silverton Tramway, and Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus also sold higher. The principal sales were:—City of Melbourne Bank, £6 0s 6d, £6 1s; Commercial, £12 3s 6d, £12 6s; Mercantile, 58s 6d; National, £10 5s; Metropolitan Gas, £17; Mercantile Finance, 42s; Real Estate, 30s; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 27s 6d; Equity Trustees, 30s 6d, 31s; National, 54s; Broken Hill Water Supply, 12s 6d, 12s 1½d; Tarrawingee Flux, £5 10s; Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus, 94s 6d, 96s; Silverton Tramway, £9 12s 6d, £9 13s 6d.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL NEWS.
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JAN. 15.

In the Bank of England the issue department stock of gold, coin, and bullion is £24,228,000.

The banking department reserve in notes and coin is £16,800,000.

The percentage of reserves to liabilities is 44.32.

The circulation (excluding bank post bills) is £24,663,000.

Public deposits are £3,754,000. Other deposits are £35,984,000.

Government securities are £9,582,000.

Other securities are £29,532,000.

Adelaide wheat, 39s per quarter. Firm.

Victorian wheat, 38s 6d. Firm.

New Zealand wheat, long-berried, 37s 9d. Firm.

Australian flour, superfine, 27s 6d per 280lb. Firm.

Chili copper is quoted at £53 per ton, cash quotation.

Tin: Australian, £92 per ton. Cash quotation.

Pig Iron: Glasgow warrants No. 1, 47s 9d per ton.

German beet sugar, 88 per cent., 12s 6d per cwt. Firm. Java sugar, No. 14, 15s. Nominal.

Three months' bills are quoted at 2½ per cent.

The following are the latest quotations:—

Consols (Goschen's), for money, 97¼.

New South Wales 4 per cent. Inscribed, 1933 January-July, 114.

New South Wales 3½ per cent. Inscribed, 1924, April-October, 102½.

New South Wales 3½ per cent. Inscribed, 1918, March-September, 102¼.

Victoria 4 per cent. Inscribed, 1920, January-July, 109½.

Victoria 4 per cent. Inscribed, 1908-19, April-October, 108½.

Victoria 3½ per cent. Inscribed, 1923, January-July, 99½.

Queensland Inscribed 4 per cent., 1915-24, January-July, 107¾.

Queensland Inscribed 3½ per cent., 1924, January-July, 98.

New Zealand 4 per cent. Inscribed, 1929, May-November, 106½.

New Zealand 3½ per cent. Inscribed, 1940, 98.

West Australian 4 per cent. Inscribed, 1934, January-July, 107.

Tasmanian 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock, 1940, January-July, 98½.

Frozen Meat.—Canterbury mutton is worth 4¾d; Wellington, 3¾d; Canterbury lamb, none in the market. New Zealand beef, hinds, is worth 4¼d.

Hemp.—Auckland, medium, is quoted at an average of £24 15s per ton; Wellington, medium, £23. Market strong.

PRODUCE MARKET—FRIDAY.

This morning fairly large supplies of firewood and 74 trucks of forage were submitted at the Darling Harbour railway terminus. Both auctions were moderately well attended by the trade. Respecting forage, the demand for new oaten hay was less animated than at previous sales. Late current prices were only barely maintained. Good lots of chaff and straw sold steadily, though medium and inferior lines of chaff were bought sparingly. Business in the wood market continues slack. At the wharfs additional consignments were received from the Clarence River, Southern ports, Victoria, and Tasmania. Trade was chiefly restricted to commodities for the day's requirements. The market for cereals was quiet, but steady. Higher figures were reported for potatoes. Onions were also dearer. Best intercolonial chaff commanded fairly active attention. Prices of new Hunter green lucerne hay again ruled firm. Butter was in steady request. Bacon met a moderate demand. Eggs were again dull of sale, even at reduced rates. Particulars of the business transacted at Darling Harbour auction sales were as follows:—

Wood.—This market was fairly well supplied. Billet, 8s to 11s per ton; bundle, 8s 6d to 14s; foot, 8s to 14s; bakers', 9s to 11s 6d.

Hay.—Forty-seven trucks were forward, and include some good qualities of new oaten hay. Competition was scarcely as strong as at previous auctions. Best new oaten, in bundles, 4s 6d to 4s 7d per cwt.; other qualities, 3s 8d to 4s 4d; discoloured old hay, 3s 8d; lucerne, in bales, from Tamworth, 3s to 3s 8d; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 3s 8d to 4s 4d; wheaten sheaves, 3s 6d; lucerne and wheaten, in trusses, 3s 10d.

Straw.—Four trucks submitted. Clean and bright wheaten, in bundle, sold at 2s 8d per cwt.

Chaff.—Twenty-three trucks received. Good coloured dry oaten and wheaten, in bags, in request, 4s 4d to 4s 7d per cwt.; indifferent to fair sorts, 3s 3d to 3s 9d.

At the wharfs the wholesale quotations were:—

Wheat.—Old colonial milling productions quoted 3s 10d per bushel; new, 3s 9d; fowls' wheat, 3s 4d to 3s 7d.

Flour.—South Australian and New South Wales roller brands worth £9 10s to £9 15s per ton; new, £9 7s 6d to £9 10s; stone, £8 15s to £9 5s.

Bran.—Remains steady, at 7½d to 7¾d per bushel.

Pollard.—Held for 8½d per bushel.

Maize.—Prime old descriptions free from weevil unaltered, 3s 10d to 3s 11d per bushel; indifferent to fair sorts, 3s 6d to 3s 9d.

Oats.—This market continues amply stocked. Feeding qualities ranged from 1s 9d to 2s 1d per bushel.

Hay.—Holders of new well-saved Hunter River lucerne hay again quoted £4 per ton; old summer makes, £3 10s to £4 5s.

Chaff.—Ordinary intercolonial chaff from £3 10s per ton; best samples saleable, £4 10s to £4 15s.

Onions.—Victorian globe varieties were dearer, £5 to £5 10s per ton; Port Arlington sorts, £5 to £5 5s; potato-onions £4 5s to £4 10s.

Potatoes.—River potatoes ranged from £4 to £4 10s per ton; Warrnambool, £5 10s.

Butter.—A fair demand still rules. Illawarra dairy makes, 8d per lb.; factory-made, 8d; separator, 7d.

Cheese.—4665 were received during the week from the Southern ports. Colonial loaf kinds 5d per lb., ordinary sorts, 3d to 4d.

Bacon.—In moderate request. Hand-cured Southern, 6d to 7½d per lb.; machine-cured, 4d to 6d; flitches, 5d to 5½d; hams, 6d to 9d. Imported bacon and hams were dull of sale.

Lard.—Finely rendered, in bladders, again quoted from 3½d to 4½d per lb.

Eggs.—Stocks have accumulated. Colonial lots, 1s to 1s 1d per dozen; Adelaide descriptions, 10d to 11d.

Poultry.—Fowls still saleable from 3s 3d to 4s 3d per pair; ducks were chiefly of indifferent qualities, worth 3s to 3s 6d; geese, 4s 6d to 6s 6d; turkeys, 7s to 12s.

Meat.—The Riverstone Meat Company reports the sales of 75 bodies beef at 1½d to 1¾d per lb. Forequarters realised 1d. Hindquarters, 2½d to 3½d; mutton, 1½d to 2d. Lambs, in carcase, 3s to 8s.

Fruit.—At the George-street Markets yesterday, there were ample consignments of seasonable kinds from our various country districts, Queensland, Tasmania, and Fiji. From the latter place during the week 17,000 bunches of bananas and 69 bags cocoanuts were received. Business continues moderately active. Quotations: Colonial apples, including eating and cooking, 3s to 5s per case; Queensland pineapples, 6s per case; oranges, 12s to 20s; bananas, 1s 6d to 3s per bushel; lemons, 6s to 10s per case; peaches, 4s to 10s; plums, 6s to 10s; passion fruit, 5s to 7s; nectarines, 7s to 10s; pears, 5s to 8s; rock melons, 6s; water melons, 2s to 5s per dozen; grapes, 2½d to 4½d per lb; cocoanuts, 10s per bag.

STATION STOCK AND PRODUCE REPORTS.

Tallow.—Messrs. J. H. Geddes and Co., The Pastoralists' Association, Limited, J. Bridge and Co., Brunker and Wolfe, F. L. Barker, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Hill, Clark, and Co., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, report having held sales yesterday. 493 packages were offered and 423 sold publicly. The market was firm in character, and a distinct advance in values has to be noted. Quotations: Best mixed £20 5s to £20 15s per ton; medium, £19 10s to £20; best beef, £20 to £20 10s; medium, £19 5s to £19 15s; broken packages, &c., £18 to £19.

Hides.—Yesterday's catalogues numbered 5467, of which 5135 were sold by auction. The general tone of the market was brisk, and all classes so'd freely at prices quite equal to those of last week, extra heavy and superior obtaining slightly increased rates. Quotations: Extra heavy and prime, 3d to 3½d per lb.; good heavy weights, 2¾d to 2⅞d; ordinary, 2½d to 2¾d; medium, 2½d to 2¾d; light weights, 2¼d to 2½d; faulty, from 1d; horsehides, 4s 6d to 7s; yearlings, 3s to 6s; calfskins, 6d to 2s 9d.

Hair.—Quotations for horsehair range from 13d to 16d per lb.; cowhair, 9d to 13d; stumps from 6d.

Horns and Bones.—Both articles were in fairly firm request. Largest horns were at 25s to 34s per 100; medium, 9s to 15s; tops and small, 1s 6d to 5s. Shankbones, £4 15s to £5 per ton; superior lots to £5 10s; common bones, £3 to £3 5s; hoofs, £3.

Wattle Bark.—Messrs. J. Bridge and Co. and F. L. Barker report that at their auction sales yesterday no really superior samples were submitted. Good lots realised £8 5s to £8 15s per ton; fair, £7 10s to £8; indifferent, £5 to £7.

Store Stock.—There was a better demand in the North-East districts for store cattle. Good three to five years old bullocks, 60s to 65s. The Southern markets were weak.

Store Sheep.—Also in stronger request. Four to eight-tooth wethers, 6s to 6s 3d; good young ewes, 7s to 8s 6d.

GREAT HORSE SALE AT WEST MAITLAND.

Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe report that the sale of horses at Campbell's Hill on Tuesday attracted a very large attendance of buyers from all parts of the colony. Mr. Henry C. White, of Havilah, thoroughbred horses were the great attraction, and the result of the sale cannot but prove most satisfactory, exemplifying as it undoubtedly does the earnest desire of sportsmen and others to secure stock from a stud of known purity and excellence. Annexed we furnish result of the sale:—Brown gelding by Glenalvon—Ariel, Jno. Robson purchaser, 81 guineas; chestnut gelding, by Meteor—Rosebud, W. A. Sparke, 40 guineas; bay gelding by Meteor—Iolo, E. Mayo, 45 guineas; chestnut gelding, by Glenalvon—Gleam, J. A. Mayo, 40 guineas; brown gelding by Glenalvon—Old mare, A. M. Cousins, 40 guineas; bay brother of above, P. Waddy, £50; bay yearling colt by Pontiff—Formosa (dam of Ensign), "J. Baronet," 230 guineas; brown yearling colt, by Pontiff—Enone (dam of Paris and Insignia), T. Payten, 225 guineas. Also 30 geldings, mostly thoroughbred, at prices ranging from £10 to £31.—[ADVT.]

PROPERTY SALES.

Richardson and Wrench, Limited, report having sold by public auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—Two dwelling-houses, Castlereagh-street, Redfern, for the sum of £2100; cottage and orchard, Hornsby, parish of South Colah, for the sum of £1400; corner block land, Burwood, for sum of £1000; allotment Vine land, Botany subdivision, for sum of £96; 3 allotments, Vine Lodge Estate, Sutton Forest, for the sum of £310 1s; allotment, Oxford Estate subdivision, Homebush, fronting Oxford-road and Redmyre-road, for the sum of £450; also on the ground at Colo Vale, on Saturday last, various portions of the Colo Vale Estate subdivision.

Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves report having sold by public auction and private treaty, at the rooms, the following properties:—Croydon, Highbury Estate, block of land facing Grosvenor and Meta streets, £610; Parramatta, block of land facing Pennant-street, with cottage thereon, £600; Windsor, block of land facing Macquarie-street, with three houses thereon, £467; Marrickville, Warren Grove Estate, allotments facing the Illawarra-road, £311 15s; Arncliffe, Avenal Estate, allotment facing Avenal-street, £75; Gollers, block of land, 2r. 8½p., £30; Narrabeen, allotment of land, portion of Moore's 100 acres, £9.

MELBOURNE WOOL SALES.
[BY TELEGRAPH.]

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, report from Melbourne:—We offered to-day (Friday) 940 bales and sold 820 bales. There was active competition, and values were firm. Greasy sold to 9½d; scoured to 16½d. J. H. Baynton greasy brought 9d; Greenvale pieces, 7½d; Curragundi, 8d to 8½d; J H in circle over C B, 8¼d; H. A. L. Barwhinnie scoured, 15½d to 16¼d; J I N pieces, 15½d.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

With the exception of Central and Junction scrip, shares in all of the leading Barrier mines yesterday improved in value, and an exceptionally good business was transacted. Block 10 changed hands at £13 9s to £13 15s to £13 13s. South hardened to £5 10s. Junction further eased to 56s. North Junction again improved to 10s 4d. Central had a fair inquiry at £6 11s to £6 8s. Block 5 were firm at 21s. Sunny Corner hardened to 54s 6d, and Block 14 to £6 15s.

SALES.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—Morning—Silver: Block 10, £13 9s, £13 10s, £13 11s, £13 15s; Block 14, £6 16s, £6 17s; Central, £6 11s, £6 10s 6d, £6 10s; Junction, 58s, 57s 6d; Junction North, 9s 7½d; South, £5 10s; Block 5, 21s; Imperial, 3s; Imperial, contributing, 2s; Tom's Lewis Ponds, 7s; Sunny Corner, 54s, 54s 6d, 53s 6d. Coal: Burwood, 21s; Wickham and Bullock Island, preferential shares, 10s paid, 18s 6d. Afternoon: Block 10, £13 13s; Block 14, £6 18s; Central, £6 10s, £6 9s 6d, £6 9s, £6 8s 6d, £6 8s; Junction, 57s, 56s 6d, 56s; Junction North, 10s 4d, 10s 3d; South, £5 9s 6d, £5 9s—new issue, 95s 6d; Block 5, 20s 9d; Sunny Corner, 53s 3d, 53s.

Stock Exchange of New South Wales.—Morning—Silver: Central, £6 11s 6d, £6 10s 6d; Sunny Corner, 54s 6d, 54s. Afternoon—Central, £6 10s; Junction, 56s 6d, 57s, 57s 6d; North Junction, 10s 7d, 10s 4½d, 10s 1½d; South, £5 9s 6d, £5 9s 3d; South, N. 1., 95s; Sunny Corner, 53s 3d, 53s 6d, 54s 6d, 54s 3d, 54s.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Sydney Stock Exchange:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.			B. H. S.	5/8/6	5/9/6
Bulli	2	5	New issue	95/6	96/
Burwood, 2s paid	20/9	22/	Ditto, Block 5	20/6	21/
New issue	4/	5/	South Extend.	5/6	—
Hetton	5½	6	B. H. Junction	55/6	56/
Monawe'rr-mouth	—	5/	Ditto North	10/2	10/4
Newcastle	16½	18	Central Block	6/	6/3
Stockton	—	25/	Franklin Harbour Prop.	—	8/
Ditto, new	—	12/	Hero	—	7/
Wallsend	40	42	Imperial	3/	3/3
Waratah	—	8¼	Lewis, Tom's	6/10	7/2
W. Wallsend	9/6	10/6	Ditto, contrib.	4/10	5/2
Wickham and Bullock Isl'd	25/	27/	Lubra	5d	7d
New, call paid	15/	—	Rising Sun	1/6	2/
Ditto, pref.	29/	—	Round Hill	—	5
Ditto, 10s pd.	18/3	19/	Sunny Corner	53/	53/6
Y'ng Wallsend	—	17/	Victoria Cross	—	5/
COPPER.			Webb's	—	3/
Nymagee	—	8/6	Consols	—	1/
Great Cobar	5/9	—	White Lead	2/9	3/
SILVER.			GOLD.		
Brit'h B'n Hill	67/6	68/6	Baker's Ck. N.	—	3/
Ditto, new	59/6	60/	Fear Hill, con.	2/11	—
Bryn Hill Pro.	12/7	12/12	Bonang	1/11	—
Ditto Bk. Con.	3/	3/2	Band and Alb.	58/	—
Ditto, Bk. 10	13 12/6	13/13	Peak Hill	—	7/
Ditto, Bk. 14	6/17/6	6/18/	Mount Morgan	—	6
Ditto, Central	6/8/3	6/8/6	Royal Stand'd	—	4/6
Extended	20/	22/	Star of the East	14½	15½
B. H. N.	21/	23/	Sunlight	13/3	15/
			Ditto, contrib.	9/9	12/6
			Victory	—	40/

Stock Exchange of New South Wales.—Silver: British, seller 70s; Block 14, buyer £6 16s, seller £7; Central, buyer £6 10s, seller £6 10s 6d; Junction, buyer 57s, seller 57s 6d; Junction North, buyer 10s, seller 10s 3d; South, old, buyer £5 9s, seller £5 11s; Block 5, buyer 20s; South Extended, seller 6s 6d; Great Southern, seller 5s; Hero, seller 6s 6d; Hero, contributing, seller 3s 6d; New Lewis Ponds, buyer 6d; Tom's Lewis Ponds, buyer 6s 9d, seller 7s 3d; Rising Sun North, buyer 4d; Sunny Corner, buyer 53s, seller 53s 9d; Victoria Cross, seller 6s; Webb's, seller 3s 6d; Webb's Consols, seller 2s 6d. Gold: Bonang, buyer 2s; Bear Hill, buyer 3s; United Bluey Reef, buyer 4s. Coal: Burwood, 20s paid, seller 22s; Burwood, new, seller 5s; Hetton, seller 6s; Stockton, seller 27s; Wallsend, seller 42; Waratah, seller £8 10s; West Wallsend, seller 10s 6d.

Mr. G. Mannsell, the warden at Wyndham, wired yesterday to the Under-Secretary for Mines, announcing that a rush for leases and claims was taking place on Schottie's Creek. About two miles of country was pegged out. Schottie's Creek is two miles distant from Wyndham.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

In gold, Grand Duke sold at 33s 6d to 33s; Madame Berry, 81s 6d, 83s; Star of the East, £15, £14 17s 6d; Berry Consols, £13; Berry, No. 1, 85s 6d; Bear Hill, 3s 10d, 3s 10½d. The silver market for Broken Hill companies was dull generally, but Block 10 had a spurt on the report of a fine return showing an average of 117oz. silver per ton, but came back afterwards. Tasmanian Companies had improved demand. Sever closed higher. The principal sales were:—Austral, 7s 9d, 8s; Adelaide Proprietary, 7s 6d; Balstrups, 8s 3d, 10s 6d; Comet, 21s 6d, 23s, 22s 9d; Mount Dundas Extended, 4s 9d; Silver Bell, 7s 6d; Broken Hill, £12 11s, £12 9s; Block 10, £13 13s, £13 18s, £13 13s 6d; Block 14, £6 17s; Junction, 56s, 53s, South, paid, £5 9s, £5 7s 6d; South Extended, 6s, 6s 1½d; Block 5, 21s 3d, 21s; Broken Extended, 20s 9d, 20s 3d; Centrals, paid, £6 10s 6d, £6 2s.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Bear Hill, 4s; Peel, 1s; Block 10, £13 13s 6d; Broken, £12 9s 6d; Block 14, £6 18s 6d; Central, paid, £6 3s 6d; South, paid, £5 6s; Mount Malvern, £6 5s; Old British, £3 8s 3d; Junction, £2 12s 3d; North, 21s 6d; South Block, £5 2s 1d; Junction North, 10s 3d; White Lead, 3s; Rising Sun North, 13d; Soudan, 10d; Tarrawingee, £5 15s.

Evening sales: Block 10, £13, £13 6s; Broken, contributing, £12 7s; Central paid, £6 4s; South, paid, £5 5s 6d; Junction, £2 11s 9d; Junction North, 9s 10½d.

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

The output of ore from Block 10 last week amounted to 1000 tons of ore, 500 of which have been sent to Dry Creek, and 500 dumped on the surface. It seems that owing to the zinc in the sulphide ore, the Dry Creek Company will not take any of this class that carries less than about 40oz. of silver. Consequently, any lower grade than this is put on one side. A parcel of 200 tons of sulphide has been shipped to London for experiment. The mine looks well, and vast quantities of ore are in sight of various classes and grades. There was a rumour that the timbers were moving, but this is not true. A contract has been let to extend the main south drive 465ft. level in the direction of Campbell's shaft. The face of the drive is now over 300ft. south of Kelly's shaft, showing sulphide with small boulders. In the main stope there is some sulphide ore adjoining the kaolin. Assays go as high as 140oz. of silver to the ton. The sinking of Kelly's shaft was stopped by water. The sinking of Campbell's is proceeding on the 415ft. level. The main stope is up seven floors to the top in kaolin, which is very rich. This body is known to exist for an additional height of 21ft. The stope on 315ft. level north is in kaolin and iron, assaying as high as 236oz. silver, and the stopes on the east vein of this level and on the 240ft. level is looking very good.

There is no truth in the report that the South Extended has struck a lode, nor is there any sign of a change. On the contrary, the rock is very hard in the crosscut, and for want of machine drills, only 3ft. a week is driven.

GUNDAGAI, FRIDAY.

Mining matters are improving every day. A good many prominent mining men are visiting the district.

HILLGROVE, FRIDAY.

There is very little mining work going on anywhere owing to the wet weather.

PARKES, FRIDAY.

Mining matters are proceeding steadily. The surface works at Quaile's Proprietary are completed. They are hauling stone from the new main shaft. The mine is in good order. Hasselhurst's Proprietary will about finish their first paddock next week, but have already a big lot of stone raised since they started crushing. There is nothing fresh in 'Possum Gully. Work is brisk there. The present rainfall will ensure the water supply throughout the summer.

CRUSHING AND SMELTING RETURNS.

Star of East Gold-mining Company, Ballarat.—Crushed for 11 days 1623 tons for 127/6oz. of gold.

South Burrangong Gold-mine.—Gold obtained for seven days' work from faces, 47oz. 10dwt. 10gr.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Broken Hill South Silver-mining Company, Limited, January 12.—Main shaft: Operations chiefly confined to the timbering of the shaft. Total depth of the shaft, 479ft.; no change. The north drive off the east crosscut, main shaft, advanced; total length, 84ft. Face still in galena, intermixed with occasional bands of mullock. Hauling shaft: Sinking was resumed on Tuesday; total depth, 364ft. 6in.; ground in the bottom of the shaft is rather hard, consisting of galena and mullock. Block 6 shaft: Total depth, 191ft. 6in. South Central workings, 330ft. level: A commencement was made with the sinking of No. 2 winze to connect with the north drive off the east crosscut, main shaft, 423ft. level, and 11ft. were sunk. Present bottom shows extremely hard galena. West crosscut, No. 6, advanced, total length 45ft. Present face in hard country rock. Stoping has been continued throughout the week. Present faces on the second, third, and fourth floors are not so promising as usual. 300ft. level: No. 6 crosscut east advanced 18ft.; at a point 69ft. from the drive the footwall was encountered. Nothing of importance was developed during the week's work. Stoping here too has been proceeded with as usual, the ore on the sill floor has apparently given out, and on the other floor the payable shoots are very narrow and running off to the south-east. Compressor plant has worked regularly throughout the week, supplying the necessary air for driving equal to five drills. New machinery: Boiler at main shaft has been built in, and the excavations for the foundations of the engine-house have been commenced; the new hoisting engine at the hauling shaft is working smoothly and well; the gallows frame on block 6 has been raised, and carpenters are now busy bracing it. Ore despatched: Notwithstanding delays through wet weather, 288 tons 11cwt. have been sent forward.

South Burrangong Gold-mining Company, January 13.—No. 3 south drive extended 20ft.; cut off south parallel driven 16ft., cut west 10ft. No. 1 north driven 20ft., cut east of this 16ft., cut west 12ft. No. 2 north driven 12ft., cut east off this driven 12ft.

Great Southern Silver-mining Company, Young, January 10.—Stoping operations are still proceeding at B shaft on the footwall side of the lode, which is now 12ft. 6in. wide, and the footwall has not yet been reached. Shall continue work in this direction until the footwall is found. A large quantity of good fair lode matter has been broken underground, and this will be brought to grass in a week or two. Assays of the various classes of ore will follow in a few days. Have driven on the course of lode in new shaft 6ft. 6in. On Thursday came across a belt of granite, which at the time did not look very well, but the southern wall now continued its course with a nice "flucan" on the wall, which has opened out again to 3ft. in thickness and is still widening out.

Messrs. Borchardt and Read, 12 Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, report having formed a strong syndicate (under the the title of the Mudgee Shearstone Syndicate) to open up a property near Mudgee.—[ADVT.]

WAUGH'S BAKING POWDER obtained the only first-class award of highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

MEETINGS.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON STRIKES.

A meeting of the Royal Commission appointed to investigate and report upon the causes of conflicts between capital and labour, known as strikes, and the best means of preventing or mitigating the disastrous consequences of such occurrences, was held in the Queensland-offices, Bridge-street, yesterday afternoon. There were present—Dr. Garran, M.L.C. (president), Captain Trouton, Messrs. L. Beaton, J. H. Storey, H. Hudson, C. F. Stokes, J. Bennett, H. E. Dickenson, F. Cotton, J. R. Talbot, B. Goode, J. T. Houghton, T. M. Davis, J. Finch.

Some discussion took place as to the days of meeting in future. It was suggested that the Commission should meet three days a week, but the employers' representatives intimated that they could not well spare more than two days a week. It was then suggested that the sittings should be two hours and a-half in future instead of two hours, but to this the labour representatives objected, and it was ultimately decided that the meetings should remain as at present.

Mr. W. G. Spence was further examined. He said the marine officers' dispute was the immediate cause of the recent dispute, but there were a number of other matters which were under consideration at the time, and he would not like it to be understood that he meant that the marine officers' dispute was the only cause of the dispute; the branches of the Shearers' Union could not affiliate with other unions without the knowledge of the principal society in Creswick; the Trades and Labour Council became affiliated with other bodies in 1888; the idea of affiliation was to assist in bringing about the closer federation of labour for defensive purposes; the matter of boycotting non-union wool was intimated and considered as far back as 1886; when they asked for assistance in boycotting non-union wool, offers of monetary assistance were made; it was stated that enormous sums had been promised, but some of them were not authorised by the secretary of the Shearers' Union; the wharf labourers wished to obtain the same wages as the men in Melbourne, but they did not bring this before the Maritime Council before the strike took place; the officers might have taken the extreme step because of greater things ahead; the Couba non-union wool of 38 bales arrived in Sydney about a week before the officers on board the Adelaide came out; the officers on the other vessels followed; the officers came out on the Saturday, and the seamen decided to come out on the following Monday; he did not agree with the view of Mr. Davis that the wool question was the sole cause of the strike; no one grievance could be put down as the cause of the strike; there were many grievances cropping up at the time, any of which would have precipitated the strike; the shearers had men watching the non-union wool, and immediately it was attempted to ship it there would have been a strike, but it would have been a strike on shore; the marine officers applied for affiliation and were refused; a manifesto was then sent out, various things were timed, and there was bound to be a strike; there were many grievances, and it was thought that if there was to be a general row they might as well have the whole thing settled up at once; he did not think a general strike would have been caused for any of the particular matters then cropping up; if there had been a strike about the wool the employers might not have acted in the same way as they did; he had heard that the responsibility for the strike was cast on the shoulders of Peter Magan; he understood that the matter was practically settled, and that the question was to be submitted to arbitration; he did not think the seamen would have caused the strike, but it was one of the factors that did cause the strike; he did not think the wool question was uppermost and was the principal cause of the strike; he did not think any question could be put uppermost; when the Shearers' Union was formed, the grievances were one-sided agreements, exorbitant charges for rations, what was called redding, and what was known as the second price; the new agreement which the pastoralists were bringing forward now was far superior to the old one; the Shearers' Union had made the pastoralists more amenable to reason; before the Shearers' Union was in existence, the pastoralists could make any kind of agreement they liked; each station could make its own agreement, exorbitant charges were made for food, as much as £2 10s being charged for a bag of flour which could be bought at the nearest township for £1; the present agreement made provision for deductions; the pastoralists' agreement was largely copied from the shearers' own; the agreement provided for the discharge of a man at the manager's will without notice; he believed in agreements being made between employers and employees; he believed that the various unions combined would enter into an agreement for a term of years with the employers combined, so as to prevent anything in the shape of lock-outs or strikes; if one union broke the agreement they would have no support from the others, and be discredited; if an agreement was entered into with a substantial bond, he thought it would do a great deal towards the settlement of matters; he did not know that there was any great difference in the position of labour in Victoria and New South Wales; he believed that the capitalist and labour got on better in Victoria than in this colony; he knew than an agreement existed between the coal mine proprietors and the coal miners in the North, and he thought the terms of the agreement were satisfactory; the Broken Hill miners also have an agreement with their proprietors; he thought the agreements could be made in each particular trade by which amounts could be deposited as penalties to be forfeited in case of a breach, to be decided by some tribunal, but he did not think a fine was necessary; he thought there was sufficient honour to bind them; the high prices charged to shearers for rations was a general thing; the display of special constables and military during the strike had the effect of arousing the feelings of the men; Arthur Rae was a delegate of the Shearers' Union at Hay during the season; he was not aware that the shearers threw over the employers at sheds where it had been agreed to shear union; the men were called out when the whole of the shearers were called out, and they came out because they considered it their duty, and not from any wish to injure the employers; he thought very little injury was done, as the men went back again; the shearers did not hold that they broke the shearing agreements legally, because when the agreements were framed they inserted the word "leave" so as to give the men power to leave if they chose; they did not inform the men of this, because they did not wish to encourage men to leave their work; he was aware that the Supreme Court had decided against the men leaving, but they did not know that at the time; when the agreement was framed there was no deliberate intention of ever calling the men out on strike; in framing an agreement the men reserved to themselves the power to knock off altogether if they thought a strike desirable; anything was fair in war, and if the country was invaded a man would go and shoot his brother; an employer would be justified in dismissing his men en masse if he thought fit; trades-unionism, as generally defined, was to protect the rights and privileges of men; there was also the higher aim involved in that, the general improvement of the working-classes; many societies were formed for mutual protection, and also in the interest of the employers; the shearers had a rule that members were particularly requested to do justice to their employers if a man acted in contradiction to that he was liable to be expelled; there was also a rule that the interests of the employers were to be looked after; he did not think that the destruction of trades unions would be conducive to the welfare of the employers, or the general good of the community; strikes were known to have occurred more frequently where men were disorganised; invariably in the mining trade and in other trades it was the practice for the foremen, and "bosses" to be members of the union, but they did not take any active part in the work of the union; in many cases if the employers would go to a conference with the employees no strike would occur; in his opinion the employer brought about the majority of the disputes that occurred; a great many disputes arose from a misconception of the aims of unionism; he would be in favour of the trades unions, through the Trades and Labour Council, appointing men representing all classes of labour, and the employers appointing a similar number, so that when disputes occurred the representatives concerned in the trade in which the dispute was, could meet and decide upon it; he had looked over the pastoralists' shearing agreement, and he noticed that a few points had been left out; the squatters did not recognise the unions in it, but that matter could be settled mutually; the shearers objected to tar sheep, except when there was a very bad cut, but by the agreement it was provided that they should tar all cuts; under the agreement, also, the employer had the power of limiting the number of sheep a man should shear in one day; the men objected to that; there was also the eight-hour question left out; these points which were left out of the agreement the men considered important, but they could all be settled; the agreement provided for the men providing combs and cutters, but the shearers considered they should only find a certain number; then the men objected to shear wet sheep; the men could not shear under the agreement unless it was authorised by the union; he did not say that the members would even refuse the agreement if the other matter of the employment of non-union men was settled; the men were anxious to come to a definite agreement; the whole thing was narrowed down to the point that if the squatters did not recognise the union the men would not shear; non-union and union men had worked on the same station, but not at the same board though; the great question was to what extent the union recognised freedom of contract; the shearers had agreed not to raise the price and they were prepared to give a guarantee that it would not be raised; during the past five years he thought the squatters had been in a better position to pay more wages than previously; when he came to Sydney it was in connection with the labour difficulty; the support was sought from the maritime bodies with the object of blocking the non-union wool in Sydney as the last resort to fight the pastoralists; the first meeting of the Labour Defence Committee was held on Monday, August 11, but it was not until the following day that the committee was properly constituted as the representatives were then authorised by their unions; the societies represented were the Seamen's Union, Wharf Labourers, Coal Lumpers, Maritime Council, Trades and Labour Council, and Stewards and Cooks; the Trolly and Vanmen he did not think were at the first meeting, although invited; the conference met daily after that; he thought the officers attended the conference after he left for Melbourne, which was on August 18; the Carriers' Union of Young was also represented on the conference; the case of Magan had the effect of irritating the shipowners; the combining of the shipowners was one of the influences that caused the strike; he was secretary to the conference, which called out the shearers; he believed the conference withdrew the western miners; he was aware that the Labour Defence Committee called the executive members of each society represented on the Trades and Labour Council together on two or three occasions, but he was not present at any of the meetings; at the first meeting of these representatives a great majority of them were in favour of a total cessation of work; that feeling was very strongly held; he thought a board of conciliation similar to that which was formed in Victoria, but which was now inactive, would work well in this colony; when he came to Sydney first he was anticipating the arrival of non-union wool, but Mr. Mooney, of the Wagga branch of the union, was looking after that; the seamen were discussing certain disputes at the meetings of the Labour Defence committee, and it was agreed that if there was any disturbance the whole of their grievances should be endeavoured to be settled for a period of three years; he was not aware of the officers' question at the time, and was surprised when he knew they had come out of the ships.

The committee adjourned until Tuesday next.

N.S.W. ASSOCIATION OF SURVEYORS.

The annual general meeting of this association was held on January 13. The president, D. M. Maitland, was in the chair, and there was a good attendance of members. The election of the following new members was announced:—A. W. Wood, L.S., Albury; R. W. B. Darke, L.S., Broken Hill; and associate, E. Stanley Nixon, mining engineer, Woollahra. The honorary secretary, Mr. F. A. Ridley, read the annual report of the council, giving a résumé of the business transacted during the year 1890. The roll of members now stands as 197 members and 9 associates, being an increase of 42 members and 3 associates over last year's returns. The honorary treasurer's report and balance sheet were then submitted and adopted. The president delivered his annual address, which dealt at length with the work done by the association during the past year. Three of the officers, Messrs. J. F. Truscott (editor), W. M. Thomas (business manager of journal), and T. A. Ridley (honorary secretary), were presented with silver-mounted ornaments of various designs that had been subscribed for by the members as tokens of appreciation of their services to the association. The retiring vice-president, Mr. C. C. Bullock, announced that Mr. D. M. Maitland had been re-elected unopposed. The result of the ballot for the election of officers was announced as follows:—Vice presidents (2), Mr. Henry Deane, M.A., M.I.C.E., acting Engineer-in-Chief for railways (re-elected), and Mr. G. H. Knibbs, L.S., lecturer on surveying, Sydney University; Councillors (6), Messrs. W. M. Thomas (staff surveyor), J. S. Mollison, L.S., A.M.I.C.E., C.E. (superintending engineer), T. F. Furber, L.S., J. H. Cardew, L.S., H. F. Madsen (staff surveyor), and F. B. W. Woolrych, L.S.; S. Chatfield and J. E. Robberds, licensed surveyors, were elected auditors. A vote of thanks to the retiring officers, to which Mr. Bullock responded, terminated the proceedings.

SYDNEY ARCHITECTURAL ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of gentlemen interested in the formation of an architectural association, having for its objects the affording of facilities for the study of civil architecture, and serving as a medium of friendly communication between the members and others interested in the progress of art, was held at the Imperial Hotel, Wynyard-square, on Thursday evening, when it was unanimously resolved that such an association be at once formed, under the title of "The Sydney Architectural Association." The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mr. S. Hurst Seager, A.R.I.B.A.; vice-presidents, Mr. G. J. Oakeshott, A.R.I.B.A., and Mr. G. D. Payne; librarian, Mr. W. Merriman; committee, Messrs. Howard Joseland, H. O. Jackson, G. W. Durrell, A.R.I.B.A., A. S. Cook, A. E. Palmer, T. E. Cosh, J. S. Adam, and W. Grace; treasurer and hon. secretary, Mr. Fred. W. Marks, A.R.I.B.A.

AUSTRALIAN UNION BENEFIT SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Australian Union Benefit Society was held last evening in the Temperance Hall. Mr. J. J. Farr, J.P., occupied the chair, and, considering the inclemency of the weather, the attendance was excellent.

The annual report was submitted and adopted. It showed that the society was in a flourishing condition. During the year the income had been £737 10s, and the expenditure £538 3s 4d, leaving a surplus for the year of £159 6s 8d. The sum of £145 12s had been paid as sick allowance, a decrease upon the previous year's payments. The claims for burial allowances amounted to £92 10s. The accumulated funds were £3494 9s 2d. The amount of £3250 had been invested as mortgages on freehold properties at remunerative rates of interest. During the year seven members had been admitted, and three had been disqualified, and the total number on the roll was 251. During the 12 months the society lost by death one of its oldest members, Mr. William Court, who had been identified with the organisation for 56 years.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:—President, Mr. Thos. Cowlishaw; vice-presidents, Messrs. Thos. Brown, J. J. Farr, J. Hedges, and L. P. Iredale; treasurer, Mr. T. Booth; secretary, Mr. William Chadwick; trustees, Messrs. Prescott, Cowlishaw, and Booth; auditors, Messrs. J. F. Booth, David Mackay, J. G. Moore, and Alfred Rofe; check stewards, Messrs. H. Brown, E. Farnham, J. W. Hedges, and S. G. Higgs; stewards, Messrs. J. Ballantyne, Alfred Creswell, J. C. Docker, Geo. Hyam, R. Higgs, L. P. Iredale, R. A. King, and F. H. Lance. Dr. Brownless was appointed medical officer at a salary of £1 per member per annum.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

The monthly meeting of the ladies' committee of the Boys' Brigade was held in the Town Hall yesterday. Owing to the absence of the president (Mrs. S. Burdekin; Mrs. Wilkinson presided. There were also present Mesdames Matthew Harris, Rosenthal, Warren, Kirkcaldie, H. L. Wilson, H. Hudson, Cohen, Allen, Boyce, De Courcy Brown, Walker, Vickers, H. Dixson, Thow, and J. C. Ellis. Apologies were received from a number of ladies who were unable to attend. A letter was read from Mrs. J. N. Brunker, regretting her inability to attend the meetings, and asking that her name might be withdrawn from the committee. The resignation of Mrs. Shadler, sen., was also received, she having left for Europe. The working committee had met at the brigade during the month, and the manager's report showed that the average attendance of the boys has been 69 nightly. Some of the boys were supplied with clothing. During the first week of the present month parcels of clothing were also given to poor people in needy circumstances. Two destitute boys were sheltered and provided with food. Situations were found for two lads, members of the brigade. The Brigade Minstrel Troupe gave an entertainment on the 29th December which was largely attended, the efforts of the lads being highly appreciated by the audience. The Brigade Brass Band had been engaged on several occasions to play at the Natatorium Swimming Baths, and had given satisfaction. Mr. Haviland, secretary of the School of Arts, had kindly promised to give a lantern entertainment to the Boys' Brigade and Newsboys combined, at the latter end of February. It was resolved that the ladies' working committee should meet the boys' committee some evening to urge upon them the necessity of taking the members to extend their help and friendship to the newsboys, and to persuade all those who are friendless to join the brigade. Mrs. J. J. Walsh was elected a member of the committee. The treasurer stated that £4 5s had been received during the month.

LANG MEMORIAL STATUE.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Lang Memorial was held yesterday afternoon, in the Town Hall. Present—Mr. A. J. Riley, chairman, Sir John Robertson, Alderman Taylor, Messrs. Geo. Munro, John Barnet, R. Miller, J. C. Low, A. Allan, J. Barnet, Jun., Geo. Christie. A letter was read from Sir Saul Samuel, dated London, 18th December, enclosing certificate of the London committee, expressing in high terms of praise their satisfaction with the statue, and intimating that the statue had been shipped by the Lusitania. Arrangements were made for landing the statue on arrival of the Lusitania, and the placing it on the pedestal erected in the Wynyard-square Reserve. It was resolved that the statue be unveiled at noon on the 26th instant, the anniversary of the foundation of the colony, and that Mrs. Lang, the widow of the departed patriot, perform the act; and that his Excellency Lord Jersey, the Ministry, members of Parliament, the subscribers, and other distinguished persons be invited.

At the monthly meeting of the board of management of the Parramatta Friendly Societies' Medical Institute, held on Thursday evening, the annual report was adopted. The report showed that considerable progress had been made during the year. The institute commenced with 964 members and 11 lodges, and has now a total membership of 1130 and 13 lodges. The income for the first six months was £443 19s 6½d, and for the second six months £606 6s 1½d, making a total of £1050 5s 8d. The total expenditure amounted to £1007 10s 7d, leaving a balance of £42 15s 1d. The expenditure is for 13 months, and the income is for 12 months. The excess of assets over liabilities is £221 11s 5d. During the year 18,764 prescriptions were made up at the dispensary, being a daily average of 51. The salaries of the doctors were raised to £360 per annum. The dispenser sent in his resignation, which was received.

Under the auspices of the I.O.G.T. Miss Jessie A. Ackerman, G.L.V.D., and world's missionary of W.C.T.U., gave one of her lectures entitled "Alaska," the Land of the Midnight Sun, on Thursday evening in the Wesleyan School Hall, Tea Gardens, Waverley. A hearty vote of thanks to the lecturess and to Alderman T. Jessup, J.P., who presided, closed the meeting.

TOTALISATORS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It is very difficult to understand the grounds on which the keeping of a totalisator is made a punishable offence, whilst betting in all other forms is carried on openly and is tolerated. I know that a section of the community look upon betting as sinful. If their views are to be carried out, it would be much better to begin at the top of the tree. The wealthy are the chief sinners (if sin it be), and if betting is to be punishable at all why should they and the army of bookmakers who minister to their pleasures go scot-free? The totalisator is essentially the betting instrument of the man of small means. When he uses it he planks down his cash, and does not "book" liabilities which may land him in inextricable debt, as the man does who amuses himself with the game of trying to get the better of the bookmakers. In that particular the totalisator is certainly a more moral institution than the ordinary course of betting. There can, moreover, be no fairer method of betting than that of which the totalisator is a sort of embodiment. That the person in charge of a totalisator may have chances of cheating the betters is not an argument against its use, since there is hardly a circumstance in life in which we may not be swindled. There are not wanting persons who aver that horse-racing is for the most part carried on as a swindle on the public, but racing is not likely to be put down because so many crooked things are done in its name. I do not write as a champion of the betting habit, but I believe that the legalisation of the totalisator would materially reduce the evils that flow from that habit, and would, at the same time, do away with an invidious and unrighteous discrimination between the poor man's betting and the rich man's. The habit is ingrained in our population, and if those wonderful census papers which we are to be called upon to fill up could procure for us a return of those who bet regularly or occasionally, and those who do not, the former would be found to include more than three-fourths of the male population over the age of mere boyhood. Such a habit is not to be put down by legislation, but in any case the law should not make any distinction between one class of betting and the other.

I am, &c.,
LEO.

Jan. 16.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following announcements appear in the Government Gazette yesterday afternoon:—

LEPROSY.—Portion of the reserve at Little Bay is declared a lazaret for the detention of lepers under the Leprosy Act.

RESUMPTIONS.—A portion of land at Hunter's Hill is resumed for the purposes of water supply, and land near Newcastle for purposes of a tramway from Newcastle to Merewether.

MEDICAL.—Mr. J. Oliver has been appointed Government medical officer and vaccinator for the district of Walgett.

LICENSING.—Mr. C. Hunter to be appointed member of the Licensing Court, Walgett; Mr. P. G. Deputy to be deputy licensing magistrate at Nyngan and Dubbo; Sergeant J. Robertson to be district inspector at Silverton; Sergeant J. Kenny to be district inspector at Warren; and Sub-inspector Saunders to be acting inspector at Silverton.

PETTY SESSIONS.—Mr. F. F. Potts to be C.P.S. at Emmaville, and Mr. K. T. Garland at Inverell.

CROWN LANDS.—Mr. J. D. Walker to be Crown lands agent at Stroud; Mr. F. C. Piggin to be member of the Local Land Board at Corowa.

COPYRIGHT.—Mr. G. N. Roche to be a clerk in the office of copyright.

POST OFFICE.—Post Offices will be established on the 16th instant at Byron Creek, near Byron Bay, Wallace (in lieu of the receiving office), near Mulgoa; and on the 24th instant at Tanner's Creek, near Kiama. The Post Office will be re-established on the 24th instant at Llangothlin Railway Station, on the Great Northern Railway line. The Money Order Office at Carlton has been abolished.

POLLING PLACE.—Moongulla, near Collarendabri, is appointed a polling place for the Bourke electorate.

MARRIAGES.—The Rev. W. S. Newton, M.A., Croydon, has been registered for the celebration of marriages in connection with the Church of England.

REGISTRARS.—Mr. J. Edwards to be acting registrar of births, deaths, and marriages at Bega; and Mr. J. H. Nisbett at Nowra.

NEW POSTAGE STAMPS.—In accordance with the provisions of the 10th section of the Postage Act, three new postage stamps of the value of 2½d, 7½d, and 12½d will be issued, such stamps being of the same designs as the lately superseded 1d, 6d, and 1s stamps respectively, with the new values printed in black ink over the old values.

THE NEW POSTAGE STAMP.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Other matters have for some time prevented me troubling you (as I once did) with occasional letters, but the feelings of modesty cherished by the "2½d" stamp are so remarkable in a colonial production that I cannot do less than express my sympathy therewith. Poor thing. She certainly does look miserable. Something, I should imagine, like a third-rate "super" in a fourth-rate circus. But really is it not a retrogressive step that at this period a stamp should be issued by the premier colony of Australasia, which, after long preparation, is infinitely inferior to those of many insignificant islands? The old 6d stamp is a work of high art in comparison with the new 2½d. The question is: Are we to employ "Australian art" only, or are we to adopt the wiser plan of going elsewhere for that which cannot apparently be produced in the colony?

I am, &c.,
C. P. H.

Jan. 16.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

JANUARY 16.

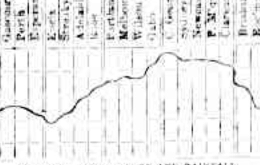
LATITUDE, 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE, 10h. 4m. 50·81s. E.
MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 47" E.

Average annual rainfall for 31 years ... 49·226
Average for 32 years from January 1 to Dec. 31, 1890 50·233
Total rainfall from January 1, 1891, to January 16 ... 1·266
Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m., Jan. 16, 1891 ... 30·274

Barometers corrected to 32 Fah. and mean sea level.

The Time Ball drops 1 p.m. Sydney mean time, 2h. 5m. 9·19s. a.m. Greenwich mean time.

STATE OF BAROMETERS.



WEATHER—TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL.

Stations.	Wr	Mx	M	Rain	Stations.	Wr	Mx	M	Rain
Albury	c	86	55	0	Manning He'ds	c	69	67	0
Armidale	r	57	52	1·05	Marsdens	g	81	66	0
Balranald	g	94	50	0	Menindie	r	—	—	0
Bathurst	u	65	55	0	Molong	o	75	53	0
Bendemeer	d	60	43	0·50	Morangarell	c	82	62	0
Bodalla	g	76	—	0	Moree	g	67	59	1·57
Bombala	c	74	48	0	Moruya	u	75	61	0
Bourke	r	65	50	4·55	Moss Vale	d	65	52	0·05
Bowral	r	62	53	0·07	Mount Hope	r	80	54	0
Brewarrina	r	64	60	3·10	Mount Victoria	r	65	41	0·14
Bundarra	r	65	58	0·97	Mudgee	r	71	48	0
Camden Haven	g	74	57	0	Mungindi	—	—	—	2·50
Cape St. George	c	—	64	0	Murrumb'rrah	c	—	57	0
Carcoar	g	68	56	0	Murrurundi	r	65	57	0·24
Casino	r	69	64	2·48	Muswellbrook	p	69	60	0·64
Cassilis	r	—	59	0·15	Narrabri	r	69	52	1·21
Clarence	c	72	66	2·65	Newcastle	o	71	61	0·04
Condobolin	r	82	64	0	Orange	g	67	52	0
Cooma	c	67	51	0	Picton	u	72	58	0·14
Coonabarabran	r	69	48	0·52	Port Macquarie	u	72	68	0
Coonamble	r	—	50	1·82	Port Stephens	c	73	64	0
Cowra	g	83	64	0	Queanbeyan	g	—	48	0
Cudgellico	u	83	65	0	Quirindi	r	72	60	0·31
Deniliquin	c	92	57	0	Scone	r	67	56	0·01
Dubbo	r	75	57	0·29	Singleton	u	70	61	0
Eden	c	74	63	0	Sydney	r	71	63	0·09
Euston	b	91	—	0	Tamworth	r	70	60	0·39
Forbes	g	89	57	0	Tarago	c	—	—	—
Gabo Island	g	72	62	0	Taree	u	—	—	—
Glen Innes	r	59	51	1·53	Tenterfield	r	60	55	1·20
Goulburn	g	66	51	0	Wagga	g	83	59	0
Grafton	r	74	64	1·30	Walcha	r	—	—	0·64
Gulgong	r	65	50	0·13	Walgett	r	64	—	3·60
Gunnedah	d	69	58	0·38	Warialda	—	—	—	1·50
Hay	r	89	63	0	Warrah	—	—	—	—
Hillston	n	84	65	0	Wentworth	b	97	66	0
Inverell	p	65	59	1·50	Werris Creek	u	—	58	0·25
Kiandra	b	58	41	0	Wilcannia	r	87	60	0·17
Lismore	r	71	68	1·92	Wollongong	c	74	55	0
Maitland	r	72	63	0·15	Young	b	59	54	0

Explanatory: b, blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, showery; q, squally; r, rain; s, snowing; t, thunder; u, threatening; v, stormy; w, hot wind.

SYNOPSIS.

New South Wales.—Dull, threatening, or raining throughout.

Victoria and Straits.—Generally fine, or scattered clouds. N. and N.E. winds.

Queensland.—Generally unsettled, gloomy to showery, winds fresh S.E. to N. and N.E., and gales in places.

South Australia.—Fine and warm generally, cloudy, threatening near Cockburn.

Western Australia.—Fine, with clouds in north; unsettled elsewhere.

Central and Northern Australia.—Unsettled in north; fine in central.

Tasmania.—Fine throughout.

New Zealand.—Overcast to showery in south; fine in north.

FORECAST.

New South Wales: Easterly winds on the coast, moderate to a gale in the north; inland winds easterly to northerly; inland continued rains and extending over western districts generally; scattered rains on the coast.—H. C. RUSSELL. Victoria: Fine and warm, but more or less cloudy, with S.E. to N.E. winds.—R. L. J. ELLERY. South Australia: In southern parts fine and warm; winds variable, chiefly S.E. to N.E.; cloudy and unsettled, tending to rain over far N. and N.E. country in connection with Queensland disturbance.—C. TODD. Queensland: Condamine River in flood at Surat and St. George.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN PREVIOUS 24 HOURS.

New South Wales: Moderate to heavy generally in northern parts; light at scattered places on the coast. Queensland: Moderate to heavy rains recorded generally.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Forbes, E., raining, 72°; Wentworth, N.N.E., dull; Eden, E.N.E., cloudy, 65°; Deniliquin, S.E., dull, 76°; Wilcannia, E.N.E., raining, 72°; Newcastle, E., dull, 75°; Sydney, E.N.E., overcast, 70°; Port Macquarie, E., raining, 73°; Cape St. George, N.E., cloudy, 69°; Goulburn, E., dull, 64°; Dubbo, E., raining, 60°.

ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATIONS FOR JANUARY 17.

Sun rises at 5.8, sets at 7.12; Moon, 12.24 p.m., 11.42 p.m.; Mercury, 4.47 a.m., 6.36 p.m.; Venus, 2.15 a.m., 3.57 p.m.; Mars, 9.41 a.m., 10.4 p.m.; Jupiter, 6.55 a.m., 8.29 p.m.; Saturn, 9.45 p.m., 9.11 a.m.

New Moon, 11th; Full Moon, 25th.

High water at Fort Denison, 12.49 a.m., 1.14 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL ABSTRACT FOR DECEMBER, 1890, with results for the same month during the preceding 31 years.

—	Barometer at 32° Fah. and mean sea lev'l	Temperature in Shade. Mean Max.	Mean Min.	Mean.	Rainfall. Amount Inches.	No. of days.
1890: December	29·946	74·6	62·7	61·2	2·563	18
Average for 32 years	29·912	77·1	62·5	69·8	2·511	13
Monthly Extremes: Highest	30·106	79·8	65·3	72·2	7·804	81
Year	1871	1866, '77	1889	1889	1870	64, 88-90
Lowest	29·755	73·4	59·3	64·5	0·453	5
Year	1861	1866	1865	1850	1876	1874

Wind.—Prevailing direction, N.E.; average prevailing direction for 32 years, N.E. December, 1890, mean miles per hour, 9·7.

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TERMS, CASH.

ELEGANT FLOOR COVERINGS for Drawing-rooms, Dining-rooms, Bedrooms, Libraries and Halls.

We are showing an unrivalled assortment in Brussels, Wiltons, Axminsters, Kensington Squares, and Indian and Turkish Squares. Those about to furnish or renew their Carpets are invited to inspect our splendid Stock.

DAVID JONES and COMPANY, Upholsterers and Furnishers, George-street, Sydney.

WEDNESDAY, 21st JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION. On account of whom it may concern.

20 BALES, each 1000, BEST QUALITY CANVAS ORE BAGS.

To Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

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TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 21st JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION. On account of whom it may concern. With all Faults.

Ex Firth of Forth.
2 Cases Beacon Light STOVES
1 Case each CRITERION STOVES, 30 and 40 inch
1 Cask HOLLOWARE
9 Boxes CLAY PIPES
1 Case Collin's PICKS
2 Cases SHOVELS, assorted
1 Case HAMMER HANDLES
10 Ditto King's AXES
5 Ditto Amor's Shingling HATCHETS
10 Ditto Sharp's AXES
10 Ditto Weed's ½ AXES

To Ironmongers, Builders, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

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TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, 21st JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION. Under instructions from the Importers.

100 Dozen WHIPS
4 Tons Royal Blue Hand DEMY
750 lbs. RIVETS and WASHERS, ¼ x 9
500 lbs. DITTO, ¼ x 10
400 lbs. WASHERS
15 VALVE CLOSETS
12 Flushing CISTERNS
50 Pull-up CLOSET FRAMES
12 Dozen CLOSET BRUSHES
12 Ditto Packets DISINFECTANT POWDERS
3 Cases TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY
2 Ditto TOILET GLASSES
Also, 20 cases GENERAL IRONMONGERY, consisting of Horse Nails, Music Turners, Bed Keys, Fire Engines, Chisel Handles, Carpenters' Tools and Fittings, Hinges and Latches, Dog Chains, Teapot Handles, Blind Fasteners, Clips, Lamp Hooks, Hand Grenades, &c., &c.

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TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, Under Instructions from the Importers.

106 Packages CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, &c., consisting of ROCKINGHAM TEAPOTS, GLOUCESTER DINNER SETS, Granite Toilet Sets, Blue Line Bowls, Majolica Jugs, Granite Chambers, Irish Teas, W.O.; Ruby Tankards, Glass Jugs, Crystal, Blue, and Green Sherries, Sodas and Champagne, Pheasant Bakers, Pudding Bowls, 2's to 36's; Assorted Sponge Bowls, 24 to 30, W. and G. B. and it. PLATES, Baltimore Cups and Saucers, Ports and Sherries, Gas Globes, Cut and Engraved Glass Jugs, Sugars, Champagnes, Patent Screw Nozzle, 6lb. Jam Bottles, &c., &c., &c.

To Glass and China Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

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TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION. Ex Selkirkshire, from New York.

36 Cases AMERICAN CHAIRS.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

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TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

42 Cases AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD CHAIRS, Nos. 14, 15, 18, 30.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

34 Cases IRON BEDSTEADS, comprising HALF-TESTERS, 6.6 x 4.6, Black, Black and Nickel, Black and Brass
FRENCH BEDSTEADS, 6.6 x 4.6, Green, Black, Black and Brass
COTS, &c.

To Bedstead and Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 23rd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

CONTINUATION SALE BY AUCTION of JAPANESE ART PRODUCTIONS.

THIS SPLENDID SHIPMENT embraces The Latest Novelties in Japanese Art, comprising Yoseki Photo Frames, Napkin Rings, Puff Boxes, Stove Shields, Paper Knives, Kaga Futamonos, F. G. Milk Jars, Hanging Vases, BRONZE BOXES, Fishing Rods, Waste-paper Baskets, Egg Baskets, Toothpicks, Spider Webs, Toy Figures, KAGA CUPS and SAUCERS, IMARI VASES, EGGSHELL CHINA TEA SERVICES for 12, BISHUI TETE-A-TETE SETS, Camphorwood Yoseki Boxes and Cabinets, Satsuma Vases, Paper Knives, Candlesticks, SCREENS, in Silk, Crepe, Paper, &c., &c., three and four fold, &c., &c., &c.

To Fancy Repositors, Japanese Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will CONTINUE the above IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY Next, 23rd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN, PARTIES FURNISHING, &c.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.

M. V. SOLOMON and CO. will sell by auction at ROOMS, NEWTOWN MARKETS, SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, consisting of drawing-room suite, drawing-room furniture, bedroom, kitchen furniture, &c. WITHOUT SLIGHTEST RESERVE.

N.B.—Furniture bought at auction Delivered Free.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street, Superior household furniture, comprising Pianos, drawing-room suites, carpets, linoleum, oilcloth, Pictures, ornaments, Austrian chairs, chiffoniers, pier glass, Dining and other tables, double and single bedsteads and bedding, duchesse toilets and ware, chests of drawers, washstands and ware, toilet tables and glasses, Glassware and crockery, kitchen requisites, and sundries.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, at 3 o'clock.

E. GIBBES and CO. will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, 470 OXFORD STREET, PADDINGTON, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising Bedsteads and bedding, overmantels, Austrian and other chairs, pictures, chests drawers, washstands and ware, &c.; also weighing machine, washhouse copper, bacon press, carpenter's bench, &c.

SENT IN FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

W. A. AITKEN will sell by auction, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 3, at Enmore rd., Newtown, Horses, harness, vehicles, &c., 200 laying fowls, ducks, geese, eggs, &c., Without Reserve. W. A. AITKEN, Auctioneer.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

AUCTION SALE.

At the YARD, corner Sussex and Bathurst streets.

TUESDAY 20th January, at 11 o'clock.

W. F. DOBBIN and CO. will sell by public auction A large quantity of BUILDING MATERIALS, consisting of Galvanised iron, Doors, box frames and sashes, Joists, lining, flooring, Iron columns, roller shutters, &c., &c.

NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.

Auction and Sale Rooms, 41 Goulburn and George streets.

ELEGANT FLOOR COVERINGS for Drawing-rooms, Dining-rooms, Bedrooms, Libraries, and Halls.

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Educational.

ABBOTSFORD, Albemarle, Kingston, Newtown. School for Boys, Prins., Misses Thompson. Res. Jan. 27.

A COLLEGIATE School for Girls, 64 Hargrave-street, Paddington. Easter term January 1

ALLOWAH, 15 Annandale-st., Annandale.—The Misses Fitzgerald resume school on the 19th January.

ARITHMETIC, Algebra thoroughly Taught by Mr. Fischer, author, Bonn Univ., 36 Cleveland-st., city.

ASHFIELD.—Glasnevin, Boy's Preparatory School. Duties resumed Tuesday, Jan. 27. Mrs. Alchen.

A YOUNG Lady, brilliant pianiste, wishes to hear of opening in good locality for pupils. Exp., Herald.

AILANTHUS COLLEGE, William-street. Principals, the Misses GILLAM, assisted by Professors and Teachers. Prospectus on application. New Term commences January 21.

ALL SAINTS' COLLEGE, BATHURST. Head Master, Rev. F. TRACEY, M.A. (Syd.), B.A. (Oxon. and Lond.)
Work will be resumed on Friday, January 30th.

ARDNAREE SCHOOL, BURWOOD.
SCHOOL WORK RESUMED,
THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 5.

A SELECT CLASS FOR GIRLS.—University subjects, music, drawing, &c. Terms,
Mrs. A. R. DIMELOW,
St. Philip's Grammar School, Church-hill.

ASHFIELD, 6 Boyleson-terrace, Liverpool-road.—Ladies' Day SCHOOL, conducted by the Misses DRURNY-DOWLING.
Term commences JANUARY 27.

AT MAY VILLA, Parramatta Heights.—Studies will be resumed January 21.
Miss WILDMAN, Principal.

ATLEE A. HUNT, Tutor. Schools visited. Candidates prepared for University Exams.
53 Womerah-avenue, Darlinghurst.

ASCHAM, DARLING POINT.
MISS WALLIS having enlarged her establishment has VACANCIES for Boarders and Day Pupils. First-class visiting teachers attend for English, Science, and Accomplishments. Resident French governess. Arrangements made for private lessons and classes. Lessons re-commence FEBRUARY 3.

ASHFIELD. — HERRINGTON, HOLDEN-STREET.
SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES,
Conducted by Miss A. W. NUTTER.
Pupils prepared for UNIV. EXAMINATION, also for TRINITY COLLEGE MUSICAL E.
The MEDALS for Senior and Junior Honours (T. C. L. Musical Exam. of June, 1889) were gained by pupils of this school.
School will RE-OPEN January 19.

ALMA SCHOOL, GOULBURN.
Miss BARBER, Principal, assisted by competent Resident Governesses holding English and Colonial Certificates and visiting masters. Alma is well adapted for a school, being situated in one of the healthiest parts of Goulburn; the rooms are lofty and well ventilated. Each quarter's instruction is tested by a searching examination, and the result forwarded to the parents. The next term commences January 22, 1891. Terms, &c., on application to the Principal. References kindly permitted to all the leading residents of Goulburn. Miss Barber will be at home to receive pupils on and after January the 19th.

ARGYLE SCHOOL, ARTHURLEIGH, 166-168, ALBION-STREET, SURRY HILLS.
Conducted by Miss E. C. BAXTER.
Established 1874.
Assisted by competent Teachers and Professors.
The method of instruction adopted is a combination of the Public and Private school systems, and the aim is to secure a thorough high-class English Education.
The results obtained by the pupils of the school at the University Examinations may be taken as a proof of the success of the system adopted.
Besides the numerous pupils who have passed the Civil Service, Junior, Senior, and Matriculation Examinations, in 1876, 1877, 1880, 1881, 1884, and 1886, the Fairfax Junior Prize, in 1883 the Medal for Geography, in 1884 p. acc. for the Medals for German and Arithmetic, in 1885 p. acc. for the Medal for Geology, in 1880 the senior Prize and Medal for French, in 1885 the Senior Prize, in 1887 p. acc. for the Senior Prize, and in 1889 the Senior Prize, were gained by this school.
The school buildings, specially erected for the purpose, are large, lofty, well ventilated, completely furnished, and in a healthy position.
In the adjoining residences there is ample accommodation for House Pupils, who are under the continual supervision of Resident Governesses, all the domestic arrangements being under the immediate personal superintendence of the Misses Baxter. Circulars forwarded on application.

A. M. D. G. BOARDING SCHOOL.
HOLY CROSS CONVENT, COOMA.
Conducted by BRIGIDINE NUNS.
Under the Patronage of His Eminence Cardinal Moran.
The course of Education comprises the English, French, Latin, and Italian Languages, Writing, Arithmetic, Bookkeeping, Geometry, &c.; Algebra, Geography, Geology, Use of the Globes, Astronomy, History, Music, Singing, Elocution, Drawing, Painting (Oil and Water-Colour), Plain and Ornamental Needlework, Fretwork, Point Lace, Wax Modelling, Paper Flowers, Dancing and Calisthenics.
Pupils prepared for University Examinations.
Nine Candidates were presented for Junior University Examination of 1890; of these eight were successful.
To this testimony of the efficiency of the pupils can be added that of the able Mathematician, Edward Pratt, Esq., of Myalla, formerly Head Master of Sydney Grammar School.
The Monaro district is acknowledged the Switzerland of Australia and therefore has many attractions as a SANITORIUM for CHILDREN.
Cooma is at present the terminus of the Southern line of railway.
Further particulars on application to THE SUPERIOR.

BANJO and Guitar.—Gentleman gives Lessons at Paling's Music Warehouse, George-street.

BANJO, Guitar, Mandolin, and Violin Taught. Don A. Flores and P. H. Shaw, 295 Pitt-street.

BOARDING and Day School, Ebley-st., Waverley. Principal, Miss Sweeting. Duties resumed January 19.

BOYS' Preparatory School, Tiverton, Grosvenor-crescent, Summer Hill. Duties will be resumed Jan. 27.

BRUCE'S Penmanship and Bookkeeping CLASSES have been resumed at 60 Elizabeth-street.

BOYS' PREPARATORY SCHOOL, Timaearra, 11 Kellett-street, Darlinghurst.—Miss EBSWORTH will be at home on MONDAYS during the HOLIDAYS.

BRIARBANK COLLEGE, Forest House, Pyrmont Bridge-road, Forest Lodge.—School duties will be resumed on Wednesday, 21st instant. A. WALKER, Principal. Prospectuses on application.

BOYS' PREPARATORY SCHOOL, Highbury, Allison-road, Randwick.
Principal: Miss FORD.
School will reopen on Wednesday, January 21st, 1891.

BOYS' PRIMARY SCHOOL, Ocean-street, Woollahra.
Principals: The Misses ORD.
The next Term will commence on TUESDAY, January 27.

BOYS' PREPARATORY SCHOOL, St. Mark's-crescent, Darling Point.
Principals: The Misses MACAULAY, assisted by competent resident and visiting masters.
Work resumed FRIDAY, 30th January.

BURWOOD.—WESLEYAN LADIES' COLLEGE.
President, Rev. C. J. PRESCOTT, B.A.
The premises have been recently enlarged by the erection of a new Kindergarten and Gymnasium. Prospectuses may be obtained from the President, or from 415 George-street.
The next Quarter commences on TUESDAY, February 3.

BURWOOD COLLEGE, ST. PAUL'S.
Principal, Rev. H. POWELL, M.A.
Healthiest situation, Burwood Heights.
Thorough English, Mathematics, Classics. Home Comforts. References, parents. Department Little Boys from seven years. Vacancies. Early application requested.
Next Term, January 26.

BLUE MTS.—BOYS' SCHOOL, Springwood.—Principal: A. F. CAHUSAC, B.A. (Cantab.), late of the Collegiate School, Manly. Sound general education. Pupils prepared for all examinations. Shorthand thoroughly taught. Springwood is only 48 miles from Sydney, and possesses a mild genial climate, free from the fogs and bleak winds exper. ...ed higher up.
A few vacancies for Boarders.

BOYS' BOARDING SCHOOL at BRAHAN BANK, BOWRAL.
A limited number of Pupils received by R. S. MACKENZIE, a certificated and experienced master.
Bowral, 2071ft. above sea level, is well known to be one of the healthiest places in the colony. Thorough English, Latin, and Mathematics, home comforts, moderate terms, highest references.
Next term JANUARY 27. Vacancies.
Prospectus on application.

BURWOOD.
KINGSLEY COLLEGE.
HIGH-CLASS SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.
Mrs. and Miss ROSS.
This school is admirably situated in the healthiest part of Burwood. The accommodation for boarders is extensive and commodious, while the grounds afford ample scope for recreation.
Special attention is paid to resident pupils, who enjoy the highest educational advantages combined with the comforts of a refined home.
The staff of teachers is supplemented by professors of the highest standing.
KINGSLEY is three minutes from the Burwood station, and pupils travelling by rail are well cared for.
Next term, January 22, 1891.

BURRADOO PARK, near BOWRAL.
The LARGE and ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE of TWENTY-FOUR ROOMS and numerous offices, with about 200 acres of land, is situated on an elevation very near Burradoo Platform, 2000ft. above the sea level, and is well-known for the beauties of its surroundings, gardens, orchards, &c., &c.
Mrs. SULLIVAN is assisted by five first-class resident English and Foreign Governesses, and the subjects THOROUGHLY taught are—
English, French, German, Italian, and Latin
Singing, Violin, Piano, Guitar
Drawing—Pencil, Crayon, Water-colours, and Oils, from Round or Nature
Calisthenics, &c., and Dancing
Plain and Fancy Work.
Riding and Swimming.
The Rev. J. DEBENHAM takes the classes for Scripture.
Every attention is paid to health and deportment, and a thorough education is given. All pupils and governesses are resident, enjoying the comforts and arrangements of a lady's home. Delicate girls have special care. Average number of pupils, twenty eight. Ages, at present, from 6 to 20 years.
Terms moderate. No extras.
Pupils prepared for UNIVERSITY EXAMS.
French is spoken in classroom and at table. Pupils may have separate bedrooms when required.
A new bathing-house just erected on banks of river running through the property.
Water laid on to the house from springs, besides never-failing wells. Drainage perfect. A new Tennis court. Detached building for hospital.
A large Farm being on the estate, a MOST LIBERAL TABLE is provided. Pupils may have their own ponies without charge. SWIMMING TAUGHT. ALL the advantages of a first-class Sydney School are given, with the climate of Bowral in addition, for which reason pupils attend from Queensland, New Caledonia, Victoria, and most distant parts of New South Wales.

CAMBRIDGE-STREET, Stanmore.—Wrentmore College, Principals, the Misses Cooke. Resume Jan. 21

CONSERVATORY of Music, 55 Hunter-street.—Studies Resumed Thursday, 22nd inst. M. Younger.

CARLTON, KOGARAH, DAY and BOARDING SCHOOL for LADIES, elevated site, home comforts. Re Term JANUARY 19. Prospectus on application. Principal, Mrs. WILSON.

CAMDEN GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—Healthiest climate in N.S.W. Special attention is paid to young and delicate boys. Prospectus, references to Rev. J. H. Rev. J. Moran, B.A. (Camden), J. H. Storey, Esq., President Chamber of Commerce, and others, posted. Duties resumed 19th January. Principal, GEO. B. CRABBE.

CLAREMONT, Randwick.—Principal, Miss HYLAND, assisted by an efficient staff of teachers and professors.
Studies will be RESUMED January 27th.

CHILWELL SCHOOL, Ocean-street, Woollahra.
Principal: Miss GREENWOOD.
Next Term begins January 27.
VACANCIES for BOARDERS and DAY PUPILS.
Prospectus on Application.
Non-pupils may join classes for accomplishments.

CANARGROO SCHOOL, BATHURST.
Principal, Miss LANCE,
assisted by a competent Staff.
Large house and grounds. Tennis, swimming, gymnasium. Liberal Table.
Prospectus on application.

COLLEGE FOR GIRLS, Fitzroy-st. N., Sydney.
Principals—Miss LIGGINS
Miss ARNOLD (Cambridge higher cert.).
Studies resumed WEDNESDAY, January 28.
Latin and Mathematics—Mr. A. Kelynack, B.A.
Piano—Mr. Gehde Violin—Miss Pettifer, A.C.O.
Singing—Mr. A. Smith, G.S.M.
French—Madame Marie
Drawing and Painting—Miss Brown, art teacher, South Kensington
Kindergarten Classes conducted by trained certificated teacher. Pupils prepared for University exams. Non-pupils may join classes. Visitors invited to Kindergarten the first Wednesday in every month at 11 a.m.

CAMDEN COLLEGE, CAMDEN.
PRINCIPAL, Miss NEVILLE.
Formerly Governess to the daughters of Lord Plunket, Archbishop of Dublin, and Holder of a University Certificate.
The AIM OF THE SCHOOL is threefold; to secure to pupils the advantages (1) of the COUNTRY—pretty, healthy locality, good food, &c.; (2) of the CITY—being only two hours from Sydney the best masters can attend for accomplishments; (3) of HOME—the school is select, the number limited, and every measure taken for the health and happiness of the pupils.
References permitted, among others, to Major-General Richardson, C.B., Dawes Battery; F. Rogers, Esq., Q.C., Burwood.
Three Vacancies; terms, from 15 to 30 guineas per quarter, including extras.
School RE-OPENS January 27.

COOERWULL ACADEMY, BOWENFELS, BLUE MOUNTAINS.
Trustees: The Councillors of St. Andrew's College, Sydney University.
Committee: Rev. J. Cameron, M.A., D.D., A. Brown, Esq., J.P., Rev. Prin. Kinross, B.A., D.D., Hon. A. Dodds, M.L.C., J. T. Walker, Esq.
Principal: W. STEWART PAGE, M.A.
The school buildings are situated in a beautiful valley of the Blue Mountains, and are considerably sheltered from some of the severer winds. No pains are spared to keep the school work up to the highest standard. The teaching staff is unusually strong, there being a master to every twelve boys. In addition to the usual University subjects, Shorthand, Bookkeeping, and Writing are thoroughly taught. Boys are prepared for the Junior, Senior, and Matriculation Examinations. Nearly 30 per cent. of the pupils now attending Cooerwull have passed the Junior. Every encouragement is given to rifle shooting, tennis, cricket, and football. We have a very efficient Cadet Corps and a well-appointed gymnasium.
As a number of the boys will be leaving school at Christmas, there will be vacancies next quarter.
Prospectuses may be obtained from the Principal.

DAREEN, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.—Mrs. and Miss Sanders. School re-opens Monday, January 19th.

DARLINGHURST, Young Ladies' School, 384 Victoria-st.—Miss Baker resumes tuition January 19.

DRAWING, Painting Classes, pri. lessons. Schools visited. Miss M. Brown (gold m.), Wood-st., Randwick.

DULWICH HILL.—Private School and Music, Upton, Fairfowl-street, Dulwich Hill.

DANCING ACADEMY, NITHSDALE, 157 Liverpool-street, Hyde Park.
Mr. NEEDS will have spare time for two School Classes during the coming season.

EDUCATIONAL.—Parsonage, Mulgoa. Rev. J. Shearman, assisted by priv. tutor, has vacan. for pupils.

ENGLISH and Music.—The Misses Haviland Resume work Wed., 21st inst. Toronto, 61 C'rgh-st., Redf.

EUPHONIC Academy, 80 Stanley-st.—Instruction Piano, Violin, Flute, and Cornet. H. Graham.

EVENING Classes for Matriculation, senior and junior examina s., by Mr. J. N. Dalton, 223 Victoria-st.

EVENING CLASSES
are now being formed at the
CROYDON COLLEGIATE SCHOOL,
in connection with the
Civil Service, Junior, Public,
and
University Examinations.
For terms and particulars apply to the Principal.

ESSENDENE LADIES' COLLEGE, KATOOMBA, BLUE MOUNTAINS
(the Sanatorium of New South Wales),
A High-class School for Young Ladies.
Madame BRUZAUD, B.A.M., London, Principal.
The curriculum of study embraces all the higher branches of English, French, German, Italian, Latin, Drawing, Painting, oils and water colours. Vocal and instrumental music.
Pupils prepared for JUNIOR, SENIOR, and MATRICULATION EXAMS.
Refined manners and graceful deportment considered essentials.
Liberal table and every home comfort, baths, abundance of water, large and lofty rooms.
ESPECIAL CARE of delicate and backward girls.
Resident French Protestant Governess.
Large garden, English fruits, pony carriage, cows, &c.
Young ladies can have their own ponies and lessons in riding.

ETON COLLEGE, HOMEBUSH.
Head Master ... J. DAVID SLY, M.A., LL.D.
Homebush is one of the healthiest suburbs of Sydney, and is eminently suitable for resident pupils, for whom special provision has been made. From its proximity to Sydney, the best teaching power is available.
The College stands in an elevated position, and was specially designed by the head master. There is a large playground, containing gymnasium, summer-house, weather-shed, and tennis-court.
Pupils are prepared for the University or mercantile pursuits. A Preparatory Department, under an experienced lady, will be formed in January for boys up to 9 years of age.
Next Term will commence TUESDAY, 27th January, when there will be Vacancies for Boarders and Day Pupils.

FRENCH.—Mademoiselle Chrétien receives and visits pupils, prefs. for Un. ex. Easton, Rosebank-st.

FRENCH.—Monsieur AUJARD receives Pupils. Result last Junior, silver medal. 196 William-street.

FRENCH, Lat., Arith., Alg., successf. Coached by Mr. Fischer, Bonn University, 36 Cleveland-street, city.

FRENCH, German.—Mr. AUCHER, B.A., lat Lecturer, Adelaide Univer., Coaches Pupils, 55 Eliz.-st.

FRENCH. — MADAME MARIE resumes work January 19th. Pupils prepared for University and Matric. Exams. Visits and receives pupils. Kernoa, 49 Wilson-street, Newtown.

FRENCH.—Monsieur Périer visits sch. and fam., prep. Univ. Exams. The "Mastery System," or the most expeditious mode of gaining colloquial French, is also added to other mediums of tuition. 13 Darlinghurst-road.

FRENCH.—Mlle. BOIVIN, Chambly, Ferry-road, Glebe Point, prepares all examinations, conversation. Mlle. BOIVIN.
BEGINNERS and Conversation.

FRAEULEIN FAST and FRAEULEIN M— FAST will RESUME Private Tuition on MONDAY, the 26th instant.
CRAIGEND, Craigend-street, Darlinghurst.

GERMAN thoroughly Taught and Coached by Mr. M. Fischer, Bonn University, 36 Cleveland-street, city.

GLENRAY School (under Public School system), F. P.-rd., Woollahra, re-opens Jan. 19. A. C. Goddard.

GOVERNESS, with morn. class little girls, Darl'hst, can receive 1 or 2 pupils. L. L., Wm.-st. P.O.

GUITAR Taught by very best method. Elvy and Co., 320 George-street.

HERR MAX KAUFFMANN has Resumed Pianoforte Tuition 12th January. Address Paling and Co.

HIGH SCHOOL, Convent of Good Samaritans, Pitt-street.—School duties resumed January 19.

HOME, in private school for young children; all comforts. Address Teacher, Post office, Dulwich Hill.

HERBERT H. RICE, Teacher of Violin, Piano, resumes tuition on Monday, January 19th, at Beale's-chambers, 482 George-street, and at 31 Trafalgar-terrace, Oatley-road, Paddington.

HERR LANGHANS, Music and Singing Master at the C. E. Grammar School, North Shore.
Lessons in Pianoforte and Harmony.
WALKER-STREET, LAVENDER BAY.

HERR JULIUS LANGHANS begs to intimate to his pupils that he will return to Sydney at the end of this month.

HEBREW RELIGION.—Special CLASSES. New quarter January 25.
KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL will RE-OPEN January 27.
Music thoroughly taught by Certificated Royal Academist Music, London. Stepney College, 30 Craigend-street, Darlinghurst. Principal, Mrs. LIONEL PHILLIPS.

HERR RAIMUND PECHOTSCH, from the Conservatoire, Vienna, and Pupil of Herr Ed. Remenyi, Teacher of Violin, Piano, and Harmony, at Paling's every day from 2 till 6 o'clock.
Private Residence, 320 Moore Park-road.

HERR YOSEF KRETSCHMANN resumes Teaching MONDAY, January 19, at C. HUENERBEIN'S MUSIC WAREHOUSE.
Letters to Johnston's Music Warehouse, Hunter-street; and to C. Huenerbein, George-street.

HAZLETON, MOSSVALE.
BOARDING and DAY SCHOOL for YOUNG LADIES.
Principal:
Miss E. ALLISON, formerly Resident Head English Teacher; with Miss FLOWER, late of Sydney Ladies' College.
DUTIES RESUMED on January 27th.

HORTON COLLEGE, TASMANIA.
(Founded A.D. 1855.)
The New Term will begin FEBRUARY 4. Fees £12 10s per quarter (under 15).
Prospectuses on application.
JAS. DE Q. ROBIN, M.A., Head Master.

ILLAWARRA COLLEGE, WOLLONGONG.
Principal ... W. R. DALRYMPLE
(late Ballarat College, Victoria).
The aim of the College is to provide an education equal to the best obtainable in Sydney, combined with the advantages of a seaside residence. It is thus particularly suitable for boys from Sydney or inland districts. All the candidates (4) from this College for Matriculation and Junior Examinations during 1890 were successful.
VACANCIES for Boarders.
References are kindly permitted to
Dr. LEE, Wollongong.
Major OWEN, Bellambi.
A. B. WEIGALL, Esq., Sydney Grammar School.
Rev. F. DALRYMPLE, Missenden-road, Newtown.
&c., &c.
Prospectus on application, or from F. A. FRANKLIN, M.I.C.E., 21 Bligh-street, Sydney.

KENELM, CAVENDISH-ST., STANMORE.
The Misses HOGG.
Studies will be RESUMED TUESDAY, JANUARY 27.

KINDERGARTEN, Easton, Rosebank-street, Darlinghurst.
Conducted on the best and most approved Continental system by
FRAULEIN von BERGHEIM (higher Froebel cert.), from Stuttgart, Germany.
Terms and hours on application.

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Boarders (inclusive terms), 12 guineas per quarter; Sketching Class conducted by certificated South Kensington lady, 1 guinea per quarter. Monsieur Rene Desjardins visits for Music and Singing. Class for Junior Pupils on the Kindergarten system, consisting of Eng., Musical Drill, Class Sing., &c., 1 guinea per qr. Next term commences 19th January.

KINGSWOOD College, Old South Head-rd., Bondi Junction, Waverley. The Misses Riley. Re-op. Jan. 28.

KATOOMBA COLLEGE, BLUE MOUNTAINS.
PRINCIPAL:
J. W. Fletcher, M.A., Pemb. Coll., Oxon.
HEAD MASTER:
W. Blamire-Young, B.A., Pemb. Coll., Camb.
VACANCIES for BOARDERS after Christmas.
The College is built for a limited number, and the pupils have the advantage of individual tuition and home care.
A thorough English education provided.
All branches of Mathematics and Drawing a speciality.
The healthiest climate and best school buildings in the colony.
Terms—£70; brothers and boys under 12, £65. No extras except music.

KING'S COLLEGE, GOULBURN.
Principal—EDGAR W. KELSO, M.A.
First Assistant—W. J. LONGMORE, B.A.
The College is situated in the healthiest part of Goulburn, and was specially built for school purposes, with thorough drainage and ventilation. There are no dormitories, but large lofty bedrooms for 3 beds each. Since the College opened, ALL candidates for Matric. and Public Exams. have been successful. The number of boarders is limited to 25; a liberal table kept, and the Principal presides at all meals. Sports are encouraged within due limits, and a gymnasium, asphalt tennis court, and cricket pitch are provided. All terms contain the SAME number of working days. First term, 1891, begins February 3. Prospectus and all information from the Principal.

KURRAJONG MOUNTAINS,
BARKER COLLEGE.
Rev. H. PLUME, M.A., late Acting Warden of St. Paul's College within the University of Sydney, and formerly Scholar of C. C. C. Camb., is prepared to receive a limited number of Pupils for University Examinations. Boarders limited to twelve.
References kindly permitted to
Professor Scott
Professor M'Callum } Sydney University.
Professor Anderson Stuart
Kurrajong is only 45 miles from Sydney, and is the Sanatorium of N. S. W., being 2000ft. above sea level.

L. T. WILLIAMS, Esq., B.A., 313 Upper Dowling-street, gives 3 more hours daily to pupils.

LACHLAN HOUSE SCHOOL, Cowper-street, Waverley.—The Misses WILDMAN, assisted by competent teachers and visiting master. Classes reassemble Monday, January 19, 1891.

LADIES' COLLEGE, Nelson Bay-road, Waverley.—Rev. JAMES and Mrs. MOSS.
Next Term THURSDAY, 22nd January.
Vacancies for Boarders and Day Pupils.

LESSONS required by Lady to improve Handwriting, vicinity of Paddington or Surry Hills.
Apply F. J., Herald Office.

LOTAVILLE SCHOOL, RANDWICK.
Mrs. HUGHES, Principal.
The pupils are trained to consider usefulness in life the aim of education. Plain sewing and the cutting out of body linen is included in the school curriculum. Diet as part of hygiene is thoroughly studied.
School duties, University work included, will be resumed on MONDAY, the 19th instant.

MADAME GIRAUD, French Teacher, has resumed Tuition. 16 Victoria Arcade, 1st floor (elev.)

MISS Ethel Fairfax recommences Music Lessons Jan. 22. Kirribilli-ter., Campbell-st., Milson's Point.

MISS HOOPER will receive her pupils Tuesday, 27th inst. Hartlands, Springwood, Blue Mountains.

MISS WALKER (pupil of Signor Giorza), Teacher of Music and Singing, Forest House, Pyrmont B.-road.

MISS HARPER, Royal Academy of Music, resumes Duties Jan. 19. 86 Goodhope-st., Glenmore-rd.

MISS ISABEL BEAZLEY, Piano and Theory. Classes form. Beale and Co., 482 George-st., op. Mkt.

MISS MAXWELL, Teacher of Music and Singing. 17 Moncur-street, Woollahra.

MISS WOODS, Teacher of Music, Piano, Organ, Theory. 201 Albion-street. Studies resumed Jan. 19.

MUSIC.—Miss BLANCH Resumes Tuition MONDAY, 19th instant. Carlton, Sloane-st., Summer Hill.

MR. CAILLIAU has resumed Tuition, 58 Point Piper-road, Woollahra. Prepares for Trin. Col. Ex.

MR. CAILLIAU'S Singing Class, TUESDAY EVENING next, New Masonic Hall, Castlereagh-st.

MR. HARRY HYNDES, Pianoforte Lessons, at Paling's. Terms—4, 6, and 10 guineas a quarter.

MR. STEFFANI will Resume Teaching on 19th instant, at 5 Hunter-street.

MR. ARTHUR PARKINSON, Teacher of Music, Singing, resumes Monday, 12th. 96 Derwent-st., Glebe.

MR. FELDWICK, teacher of Voice Production and Singing, Beale's-chambers, George-street.

MR. HOCKNELL Resumes Tuition, singing, piano, Jan. 19. Penharwood, Hereford-st., Forest Lge.

MRS. PALMER will resume Piano and Singing Lessons at Johnston's Music Warehouse, January 19.

MRS. E. V. DREW, teacher of Pianoforte and Singing, has res. Tuition. Terms, Bruce & Massey's.

MUSICAL.—Miss Bowden visits Nor. Shore Tuesdays and Fridays. Duties res. 45 Wilson-st., Newtown.

MACLEAY HOUSE, ELIZABETH BAY.
Duties RESUMED January 28.

MADAME CECILIA SUMMERHAYES RESUMES Pianoforte and Singing Tuition, MONDAY, 19th instant. 261 ELIZABETH-STREET, HYDE PARK.

MANLY COLLEGE (Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies), Wood-street, Manly Beach.—Principal, Miss CAPRON. Work resumed February 2.
Vacancies for Boarders. Prospectus on application.

MATRICULATION Examination Candidates, as Resident or Visiting Pupils, are prepared privately or in class, day or evening, by
J. N. DALTON, 233 Victoria-street.

MELPOMENE, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.—Mrs. ROWLEY HORSLEY will resume her Morning Classes for Young Ladies, from 11 years of age, on January 19th. Prospectus on application.

MISS BULLARD has opened a SCHOOL for pupils under the age of 14 years at Rochelle, Old Canterbury-road, Lewisham. Term begins January 21, 1891.
N.B.—Music lessons to non-pupils.

MISS DONOVAN, Teacher of Pianoforte (pupil of Madame Kellermann), has REMOVED to Hinemoa, 217 Palmerston-terrace, Glebe Point. Term, 19th January. Vacancies for pupils. Burwood visited Monday, Thursday.

MISS EDITH BROWN, of the Conservatorium of Music, Leipzig, is prepared to receive a limited number of PUPILS for Piano. For terms, apply 38 Glenview-street, Paddington; or Nicholson and Co., George-street.

MISS WHEATLEY-WALKER, Teacher of Music.—Pupils prepared for Trinity Examinations. Studies resumed January 27. Address
Elvey's Music Warehouse, George-street, Sydney.

MRS. RUTHVEN (pupil of Madame C. Kellermann and Miss Pedley) receives and visits pupils for music and singing. For terms apply to Hillston, Pyrmont Bridge-road, Forest Lodge. Tuition resumed 20th January.

MRS. PHILLIPS has REMOVED from her residence, 47 Upper William-street South to Argyle, 2 Prince-road, Darlinghurst. Art classes will be resumed on MONDAY, February 2nd.

MR. S. CHUDLEIGH, certificated pupil of Herr Kretschmann (Violin and Viola), Sent. Cert., Trinity College, London (Harmony), receives Pupils, School of Music, Livingstone-rd., P'shm, and Dulwich-st., D'wich Hill.

MISS WALKER, Trin. Col., London, Higher Cert. Teacher of Music and Theory, junior or finishing, prepares for exams.; also prepares and adjudges exam. papers; Colleges and Schools visited for tuition or examination; Tuition 1 to 5 guineas. Elland, Grafton-street, Woollahra, near Nelson-street, late of Birrell-street, Waverley.

MR. HALLEWELL
will Resume
TEACHING
on the 19th instant.
144 Burton-street, Darlinghurst,
or PALING'S Tuesdays and Fridays.

MR. OTTO VOGT,
Successor to the late Mr. Julius Buddee,
RESUMES Pianoforte Lessons
on
WEDNESDAY, January 14,
at Paling and Co.'s Music Warehouse.

MANLY.
THE COLLEGIATE SCHOOL
will be opened on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, by the
Rev. J. T. WALTON,
late PARKIN SCHOLAR of
PEMBROKE COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE.

MANLY BEACH.—Miss HAMILTON, Certificated of Trinity College, Dublin, assisted by competent teachers, receives a limited number of pupils—daily and resident. Delicate girls will have the advantage of sea-bathing and bright home, combined with thorough teaching. All branches of a liberal education. Terms, references, &c., on application. Waratah, Darley-road, Manly. Address till January 27, Post-office, Katoomba.

MISS APOLLINE NIAY, C.S.A., S.C.R.A.M., E.R.C.M. (late of the Royal College of Music, London. Pianiste of the London concerts), begs to announce her intention of making a permanent residence in Sydney, and will commence Lessons for advanced students of the pianoforte, January 19th, at Messrs. PALING and CO.'S, George-street, city,
to where all communications should be addressed.

MAYBANKE COLLEGE, Dulwich-hill, near Petersham.
Situated in a healthy suburb and surrounded by garden and playground. The Principal, Mrs. WOLSTENHOLME, is assisted by a large staff of Teachers and Professors. At the University Examinations the Senior Fairfax Prize for 1890 and Silver Medals were taken by pupils from this School.
Work will be resumed on 28th instant.
Mrs. Wolstenholme will be at home every Wednesday.

NEWINGTON COLLEGE, STANMORE.
(Founded 1863).
President: Rev. W. KELYNACK, D.D. Head Master: W. H. WILLIAMS, M.A., formerly Scholar and Prizeman of Trinity College, Cambridge; First Class in Classical Tripos, 1876.
The teaching staff consists of 10 regular Masters, 6 of whom are graduates, with Visiting Masters for Special Subjects. The vacancies have been filled by the appointment of the most able and experienced teachers procurable. The Modern Form will be divided into two parts—one preparing for the Civil Service and the other for the Junior Examination. Bookkeeping forms part of the curriculum, and Practical Chemistry is taught in a large and complete Chemical Laboratory.
At Matriculation, the second and fourth places for Classics, and the third and sixth for Mathematics, were gained; and the Scholarship for Classics was awarded to a candidate from the College. At the Public Examinations, 32 out of 33 candidates passed; and the University Prize, the John West Gold Medal, and Silver Medals for English, Ancient History, and Geology were won, as well as the Proxime Accessit for English and Latin.
One Scholarship of £50 and three of 10 guineas each are awarded annually.
The spacious grounds afford every facility for sports, in which the College has always taken a prominent position. Extensive improvements are projected, to adapt them thoroughly for Cricket, Football, and Tennis. The Schools' Challenge Shield has been won for the last three years by the Cadet Corps. The largest School Gymnasium in the colony has recently been erected, in which classes are in regular working, under the superintendence of Mr. Renshaw.
The domestic arrangements are such as to secure to the Boarders the comfort of a well-ordered home.
The appointment of a Minister to supervise the general working of the College guarantees the thorough training of the boys in all the elements of character that will fit them in the best sense for the work of life.
Prospectuses forwarded on application to the President.
School Work will be resumed January 28, 1891.

ORGAN, Piano, Theory.—Mrs. Little Resumes Tuition on Monday. 431 Cleveland-street, Redfern.

PIANO and Theory.—Miss Black, Warrenah, Margaret-st., Petersham. Tuition resumed Monday, Jan. 19.

PIANOFORTE.—Mrs. LAZARUS resum. Tuition Wednesday, Jan. 21. Resden, Brown-st., Glenmore-rd.

PREPARATORY School, Lichfield, Albert-street, Strathf'd.—Miss Way. School reopens Mon., Jan. 19.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.
Miss A. M. COTTINGHAM,
Eyrecourt, Walker-street, North Sydney.
The next Term will begin on Wednesday, January 28.

PRIVATE TUITION.—Resident and Visiting Pupils. Mr. JOHN KINLOCH, M.A., receives at his RESIDENCE. All UNIVERSITY and SURVEY EXAMS. Re-commence 5th inst. 52 Alberto-terrace, Darlinghurst-rd.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES' COLLEGE, Croydon, Sydney.
The new buildings at Croydon, erected at a cost of £25,000, will be ready for occupation in February. Date of reopening will be announced in a future issue of this paper.
Prospectus on application.
JOHN MARDEN, M.A., LL.D., Principal.

PROFESSOR ANGELO CASIRAGHI (late First Violinist of the Cowen Orchestra) Begs to inform the public that he has just returned from the Continent after having gone through a two-years' course of Teaching at the Leipzig Conservatoire.
Professor CASIRAGHI is prepared to give Lessons on Violin and Harmony, according to the newest German method and style adopted at above Conservatoire.
Applications to Messrs. Paling and Co., George-street.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL FOR BOYS, HAYFIELD, PARRAMATTA HEIGHTS.
Principal—Mrs. O'REILLY
(Widow of the late Rev. Canon O'Reilly).
REFERENCES:
The Right Rev. the Primate
The Very Rev. the Dean of Sydney
The Venerable the Archdeacon of Cumberland
The Rev. Dr. Harris, Headmaster the King's School
A. B. Weigall, Esq., Sydney Grammar School
J. J. Calvert, Esq.
C. N. Griffiths, Esq.
Cecil B. Stephen, Esq.
T. E. Body, Esq., Dubbo.

REQUIRED Lessons in French, master preferred. Confidence, Camperdown P.O.

ROSSENDALE SCHOOL, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.—School RE-OPENS 27th JANUARY. A few vacancies. Terms, &c., on application to
A. M. WRIGHT, Headmaster.

RIVIERE COLLEGE, established 1874,
NELSON-STREET, EDGECLIFFE-ROAD, WOOLLAHRA.
Principals: The MISSES HALL, assisted by a large and complete staff of Professors and Governesses.
The "Senior Fairfax" Prize, the highest open to females, was awarded by the Sydney University at the "Senior" Exam. in 1885, 1887, and 1888 to students of this College, besides many Silver Medals for special subjects. At the late Univ. Ex. the Fairfax Prize and Medals for Eng., Arith., Geog., Geol., and French were taken.
Special Classes for the "Senior," "Junior," and Matric. Univ. Examinations.
The situation of the College, standing within extensive grounds, is charming and healthy. Special attention given to home arrangements.
Woollahra, Bondi, and Waverley trams pass within two minutes of the College.
The Misses HALL will be at home on Monday and Thursday, 3 to 5.
NEW TERM COMMENCES JANUARY 30th.
PROSPECTUS ON APPLICATION.

SINGING.—Private Lessons.—Mr. BOYLE, 11 Queen-st., Woollahra, or at Paling's, Geo.-st. Terms.

ST. THOMAS'S SCHOOL, St. Leonards. Duties Resumed Monday, 19th instant. Jas. Buchanan.

ST. HILLIER'S HIGH SCHOOL, Merton-street, Stanmore.—Classes assemble January 21.

SYDNEY Grammar School.—Mr. Goldie has Vacancies for 3 boarders. Ravensworth, Waverley-rd., W'hra.

SCHOLASTIC.—Two first-class Ladies' Schools for immediate Disposal, aristocratic suburbs, incomes £2000 and £700 respectively. Australian Medical Transfer and Professional Agency, 79 Pitt-street, Sydney.

SIGNOR L. GUIDBONO, Professor of Music, receives and visits pupils for singing, piano, and harmony. Apply at Mr. W. D. Johnstone's, Musicseller, Oxford-street, city, or Brisbane-street, Waverley.

SIGNOR A. FABRIS will resume Teaching January 19. Private lessons afternoon, and evening classes for ladies and gents., 300 Oxford-st.; and evening classes, Newtown, Crookwell, Station-st. Class forming at Petersham.

SYDNEY LADIES' SCHOOL,
Aston Hall, Avoca-street, Randwick.
Principal, Miss HALES.
New term begins 28th JANUARY.

SIGNOR RICCARDI
has Resumed Teaching.
140 Burton-street, and Paling's.

ST. IGNATIUS COLLEGE, RIVERVIEW, near Sydney,
conducted by the Jesuit Fathers.
STUDIES RESUMED TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, when all the pupils should be in attendance.
Illustrated prospectus and full particulars on application.

ST. PHILIP'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL, Church-hill.—Headmaster, A. B. Dimelow, Melb. Univ. University classes under direction of Mr. J. A. Dobbie, B.A. Ten candidates successful at recent University examinations.
SHORTHAND a speciality.
Classes for Junior Boys. Vacancies for two boarders.
Work begins TUESDAY, 27th instant.
Prospectus posted on application to Headmaster.

SYDNEY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.
These SCHOOLS will be re-opened on TUESDAY, Jan. 27th, 1891. All Pupils are requested to be in attendance at 9.15 a.m.
J. COATES, Head Master.

SYDNEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
An ENTRANCE EXAMINATION will be held at 9.15 a.m. on TUESDAY, January 27. Prospectuses obtainable at the Sergeant's Lodge, Stanley-street. The Commercial School is now thoroughly organised.
A. B. WEIGALL, Headmaster.

ST. MARY'S CONVENT OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN, WOLLONGONG.
STUDIES will be RESUMED in the Boarding and High School on MONDAY NEXT, 19th instant. Pupils are requested to be punctual in their attendance. This Convent is most beautifully situated; its proximity to the sea affording every facility for sea bathing. The salubrity of the climate renders it a most desirable place of residence in all seasons. It has been found most effective in strengthening the constitutions of delicate children, who have been specially sent for that purpose from the city and neighbouring colonies. For further particulars applications are to be made to the
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presents the following advantages:—
1. The climate is unrivalled.
2. This college has passed a larger number of students, junior, senior, public examinations, law, and matriculation, in proportion to average attendance, than any other institution in Australia.
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4. The pension is extremely moderate, only £45 a year.
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Head Master:
ERNEST ILIFF ROBSON, B.A. (Cantab.), M.A. (Melb.)
(Late scholar of Christ's Coll., Cambridge).
Assistant Masters:
ARTHUR M'CULLOCH HUGHES, B.A., late Exhibitioner of Oriel College, Oxford.
Rev. D. DAVIES, M.A., late scholar of Jesus College, Oxford.
CHARLES H. LINTON, M.A., Honourman, Edinburgh.
LANGFORD A. BAKER, University of Sydney, and Another.
Herr JULIUS LANGHANS ... ... Music
G. A. THOMAS ... ... Drawing
J. RAMSAY ... ... Shorthand
School Sergt., W. M'KAY (late Co.-sergt.-major, Roy. Engrs.)
SCHOOL RE-OPENS WEDNESDAY, Jan. 28, 1891.
New boys should be present 9.15 a.m.
Prospectus on application to head master.

SINGLETON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
Trustees:
G. LODER, W. PEARCE, A. COUSINS, and H. C. WHITE, Esqs.
Reference: Rev. J. S. WHITE, M.A., LL.D.
Headmaster: S. L. BROWN, M.A.,
first-class certificated teacher, formerly Senior Assistant Master, Merchants' Schools, Edinburgh, and late Senior Resident Master, Newington College.
Boys prepared for all Government Examinations and Mercantile pursuits. One of the most successful Grammar Schools north of Sydney at the last Junior Examination.
SINGLETON, situated on the River Hunter, with extremes neither of heat or cold, is one of the healthiest towns on the Northern Line, and would be an excellent change for town boys. The School was expressly built for Educational purposes, and is one of the largest in New South Wales.
Terms: £56 to £80 a year. Prospectus on application. The Headmaster may be interviewed on the 8th and 9th, between 2 and 4, at the
Central Coffee Palace, Sydney.

TALENGETTA, High-street, North Shore.—Miss YOUNGER will resume studies Tuesday, 27th inst.

THE Misses LAYTON, Phillip-terrace, Union-st., North Shore. School duties Resumed 19th January.

TUITION.—A young Lady desires to give Morning Tuition to the younger children of a family; highest references exchanged. Address
M. L., Post-office, Woollahra.

THE KING'S SCHOOL, PARRAMATTA.
The next TERM BEGINS on TUESDAY, February 10, 1891, at 9.30 a.m.
EDWARD HARRIS, D.D., Head Master.

THE QUEEN'S SCHOOL, VICTORIA-STREET, DARLINGHURST.
Headmaster: J. NEALE DALTON, King's College, London, and Trinity Hall, Cambridge, assisted by visiting Masters.
Boys are prepared for the Universities, for the Public Examinations, and for Commercial pursuits. Since March, 1890, when the school was removed to its present quarters, 14 pupils have passed examinations at the University.
There will be a few vacancies for Boarders and Day Pupils next quarter, which will commence on January 27.
Full prospectuses will be posted on application.

THE LADIES' COLLEGE, MOUNT VICTORIA, BLUE MOUNTAINS, N.S.W.
Principal, Herr ALBERT KUNZ, assisted by efficient teachers.
The climate of Mount Victoria is exceptionally healthy, and well suited for delicate children.
Special care is taken to prepare Pupils who may wish to pass the University Examinations.
TERMS PER QUARTER, £15 15s.
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A Boarding School for Boys. Limited to 11.
Healthy climate, liberal table, regular evening lessons. The course of study is that prescribed for the Civil Service and Junior examinations, including Bookkeeping and Shorthand.
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Terms, inclusive of washing, mending, &c., £11 11s a quarter. Quarter dates from day of entrance.
Mr. Bienits may be seen by parents at Mr. Thompson's New Book Shop, 64 Erskine-street, between 2 and 5 o'clock, on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, 14th, 15th, and 16th January.
SCHOOL WILL RE-OPEN MONDAY, 19th JANUARY.
Prospectus on application at the School, or Mr. Thompson's.
H. G. BIENITS, Principal.

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WEMBORNE COLLEGE, Stanmore-rd., Stanmore.—Principals, Mrs. and Miss Tingle, assisted by Professors. School duties resumed MONDAY, January 19. Prospectus on application.

WATOURONG, MYRTLE-STREET, ST. LEONARDS.
High-class School for Girls, conducted by the Misses HOOKE.
School duties resumed TUESDAY, January 27.
A Special Class for little Boys under 9 years.

WINDSOR GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
Principal:
The Rev. B. KEENAN,
assisted by Resident and Visiting Masters.
This school is quite in the country, 30 miles from Sydney, and in the midst of extensive grounds. It has a football ground, a cricket field, a gymnasium, a large weatherboard shed for exercise in wet weather.
There is a Cadet Corps, a Rifle Club, baths two minutes' walk from the school, swimming daily during summer months.
Attached to the premises are a dairy, a vegetable garden, and a poultry yard.
The school has passed 208 candidates for the various University examinations.
Special attention is paid to SPELLING, WRITING, ARITHMETIC, and READING, and the boys are THOROUGHLY GROUNDED in ENGLISH subjects. The whole school are taught Drill and Gymnastics. There is a class for little boys and backward pupils of any age, who receive special attention.
No day boys admitted.
Next term begins 21st JANUARY.
The vacancies being limited this term, Mr. Keenan requests early application.

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ORCHARD, in good order,
Good as a speculation.
Position for gentleman's residence, excellent to lovers of the beautiful, all that can be desired. A place so favourable for prolonging life would be hard to find.
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For Private SALE, with immediate possession, the above complete PROPERTY, situated at the corner of Fullerton and Wellington streets. The house, which stands in 1a. 25sp., in the best part of Woollahra, contains 7 bedrooms, drawing-room, dining-room, morning room, kitchen, laundry, servants' hall, 2 bathrooms, spacious linen cupboards, pantries, wine cellar, 3 w.cs. all connected with main sewer, and mosquito house. The ground is divided into flower garden, tennis lawn, fowl-yards, and paddock. If desired the furniture throughout could be taken at a valuation. For full particulars and cards to view apply to
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SUPERIOR House PROPERTY, WALLIS-STREET next to residence of C. C. Read, Esq. It is of brick, known as SYDENHAM, very well built, commodious and well arranged, comprising verandah and balcony, hall, 9 rooms, small room, bathroom, stabling, &c., lane at the rear. A cheerful position among high-class property. Apply
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FIVE DOCK.—For SALE, LAND 227 x 216, two-roomed W. B. Cottage, tram 5 minutes, Title Torrens.
Apply Land,
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SUMMER HILL, near Railway Station.—FOR PRIVATE SALE, LAND, 100 x 280 feet, Villa built on 48ft., with carriage entrance, leaving 52ft. Villa contains wide hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, laundry, copper and fixed wooden tubs with plugs, bathroom and iron enamelled bath, city water and gas, wood and coal shed, man's room, and shed 28 x 20 feet, fowl runs, paddock, cowshed, flower and vegetable gardens, with water laid on, fruit trees.
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Address W. FOULIS,
Summer Hill.

OWNER going away, must sacrifice, grand COTTAGE, built of brick on stone, slate roof, folding door, 6 rooms and kitchen, side drive, coachhouse and stable, bathroom, &c., &c., main road frontage; price £560, terms, £100 cash.
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PEREMPTORY SALE, by order of the mortgagee.—Magnificent Cottage RESIDENCE, contains 8 large lofty rooms replete with modern conv., splendidly fitted up with marble mantels, enriched cornices, tiled hearths, gas fires, electric bells, wide hall, grand bathroom, good kitchen, grand cooking range with large boiler attached (working automatically and supplying premises with hot water), w.h., copper, tubs, and good coach and stable; large block of land, elevated position, conv. to town by 'bus, terms or train. This property was built for present owner regardless of cost. I am instructed to sell at the money lent on it. This gives you an idea of the value price, £850; terms, £100 cash. Well worth £1100. Immediate possession. Terms be given.
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A BEAUTIFULLY-SIT. Villa RESIDENCE, 5 minutes station. Roseneath, Parramatta-rd., Sum. H.

FOR SALE, Rockdale, Bexley Estate, Grand ALLOTMENT, Frederick-st., 50 x 149. 18 Jackmond-st., S.H.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, a delightful, well-built Cottage RESIDENCE, 5 large rooms and kitchen, laundry, on heights, very cheerful situation, hall through, bathroom, storeroom, tubs, copper, gas, and city water, marble mantels, tiled grates, tiled hearths, electric bells, nicely finished, good drainage, stands well within its own grounds, well worth inspection; £825, worth £1000; terms. COLLIN'S Agency, at Summer Hill Station.

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WELL-BUILT double-front COTTAGE at Dulwich Hill, 2 minutes tram, containing drawing, dining, and 3 bedrooms, kitchen with range, laundry, tubs, copper, bath, pantry, gas, city water, well finished, good elevation; land 40 x 152; price £775, easy terms. Nothing cheaper in the market. We drive you to inspect.
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SOMETHING CHOICE at DULWICH HILL.—Substantial Cottage RESIDENCE, double front, bay window, drawing and dining rooms, 6 good bedrooms, kitchen, and all outoffices, complete, gas, water, highly finished, verandah front and side, tiled; land, 117ft. x 250ft. £1300, very easy terms. We drive to inspect.
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Petersham, opposite Station.

ON the Heights, well-built double-front COTTAGE, lovely view, 2 minutes tram, containing hall, drawing and dining rooms, 3 good bedrooms, kitchen with range, and all necessary outoffices complete, buggy entrance; land, 41 x 152; a good block; only £525, £50 cash, balance very easy. Look at the terms. Why pay rent? We drive to inspect. Many similar cottages.
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WAVERLEY.—Only £650 for a faithfully-built detached Brick COTTAGE with bay window, containing 5 rooms, hall, bath, gas, pantry, kitchen, laundry, and every convenience, land 40 x 213, title freehold, choice position, surrounded by good properties, and close tram. ALLDIS and CO., Agents, Tram Terminus, Waverley.

CHOICE Residential SITES within the Waverley Park, 50 x 170, title Torrens, easterly aspect, uninterrupted ocean views, cheap, easy terms. Inspection invited. ALLDIS and CO., Agents, Waverley Terminus.

DETACHED COTTAGE RESIDENCE at Waverley, brick on stone, slate roof, marble mantels, tiled hearths, and electric bells, &c., 6 rooms, hall, kitchen, pantry, bath, laundry (fixed tubs), &c.; ocean views; close tram; land 40 x 150 to a lane; title, freehold; price £950, terms. ALLDIS and CO., Tram Terminus, Waverley.

HOUSES and Cottages from £425 upwards on easy terms. Alldis and Co., agents, Waverley.

AS a SPECULATION or for INVESTMENT.—For SALE, in the heart of the town, two large Shops and Dwellings, well let and showing good returns. This property has very great prospective value, and is being sold for £1400; cost £1950.
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AT STRATHFIELD. A Grand Family RESIDENCE in choice locality, with good surroundings and close to station, containing wide entrance hall, large drawing and dining rooms, breakfast room, library, 6 lofty bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, and offices; wide balconies, from which splendid views are obtainable. The property is handsomely finished with marble mantels, tiled hearths, rich gasaliers, &c.; price, £2400; easy terms. We drive to inspect.
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TO CITY BUSINESS MEN and OTHERS.—For Private SALE, a first-class Brick RESIDENCE, containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, storeroom, pantries, bathroom and washhouse with copper; concrete foundation; slate damp courses; thorough ventilation; fireplaces and grates in all rooms; shelving and cupboards, and every comfort, having been built expressly for the owner. The lands comprise an area of about 1½ acres, all laid out with fruit and flower gardens, vineyard, poultry yard, and abundance water. This very convenient and compact property is situate within a few minutes' walk of Fairfield Railway Station. Price £750. Cash or terms.
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FOR Sale, Livingstone, Edgeware-road, Enmore, 8 rooms, beautifully situated, garden, stabling, &c., £600.

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FOR SALE.—At Wyong Creek, two 80-acre FARMS
Oak Forest—34 Acres, with ORANGERY
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NORTON AND REED, FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN, 80 HUNTER-STREET, respectfully intimate to their numerous customers and the public generally that their Establishment will be OPEN as usual on MONDAY next, the 19th instant.
The Fire being confined to their workshops only, their large and well-selected stock remains in perfect order, so that they are fully prepared to carry on business as before, and hope to receive the continuance of their past favours.

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See Advt. under Musical Instruments.

TO PARTIES GIVING UP HOUSEKEEPING.
C. F. W. LLOYD and CO., Auctioneers, 126 Pitt-street, beg to announce to those wishing to avoid the risk and expense of Auction Sales that they are Cash Purchasers of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects to any extent, and conduct OUTDOOR SALES by AUCTION on the shortest notice.
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HOUSES FURNISHED, partly or throughout, on most liberal terms. DAVIDSON and CO.'S FEDERAL FURNISHING ARCADE, 81 Oxford-street, near Riley-street, and Riley-place.
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FURNITURE.—£30 worth, £3 down, 15s week, no security required, no publicity. Open evenings till 9.
FURNITURE.—£50 worth, £7 down, 15s weekly, large and varied stock kept. Forsberg, 78 William-st.

Auction Sales.

1 DOUBLE SPRING DRAY TURNOUT
1 SINGLE SPRING DRAY TURNOUT.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the SYDNEY STEARINE CANDLE CO. to sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, on TUESDAY NEXT, JANUARY 20th, at 12 o'clock,
GINGER, chestnut draught gelding
TIGER, bay draught gelding, with black points
FARMER, blue-roan draught gelding
Together with 2 spring drays and harness in good order and condition.
The above have been in daily use by the Sydney Stearine Candle Co. The horses are staunch workers, and subject to trial. The drays and harness are in excellent working order, and the whole are being sold on account of the closing up of the Stearine Candle Co.'s Works.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
CLEARING-OUT SALE OF THE ENTIRE STUD OF PONIES, the Property of BRINSLEY HALL, Esq., Windsor.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from BRINSLEY HALL, Esq., WINDSOR, to sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, on THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, at 2.30 p.m., his ENTIRE STUD of PONIES, consisting of about
60 HEAD, comprising 3 STALLIONS, including the WELSH PONY STALLION PETER, the pure-bred imported Timor Pony Stallion ESSENCE OF FUN, and the pure Exmoor Pony stallion UNCLE TOM, JUN., by Mr. Yeo's celebrated Uncle Tom (sold for 212 guineas) out of an imported mare; this pony is the exact image of his sire.
Also, Valuable breeding mares, all young, with foals at foot and stinted again. A large number of these are by UNCLE TOM and the celebrated BONNIE CHARLIE.
Also, Yearling, two-year-old, three-year-old, and four-year-old ponies, including several very handsome match pairs, and single harness ponies; also a number specially suited for children, being broken in quiet.
, THERE ARE ALSO SEVERAL PONIES AMONGST THE LOT BY SOMNUS AND OTHER THOROUGHBRED SIRES WORTHY THE ATTENTION OF RACING MEN.
The above sale will afford an opportunity of securing ponies that very seldom occurs. Mr. Hall's stud has been established about seven years, and in the formation of it he spared no expense in procuring the very best animals obtainable from all the colonies, and is now selling solely on account of his leaving the colony.
The ponies will be on view at the Bazaar on Wednesday, and the harness ponies will be driven between 10 and 11 o'clock on the morning of the sale.
CATALOGUES ARE NOW READY, AND MAY BE HAD ON APPLICATION.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. PETER MARA, WOLLAR, to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, on TUESDAY NEXT, January 20th, at 2.30 p.m.,
12 SUPERIOR DRAUGHT COLTS and FILLIES, worthy the attention of heavy carriers, draymen, and others.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN, INDIAN BUYERS, CARRIAGE, CAB, and OMNIBUS PROPRIETORS, HEAVY CARRIERS, DRAYMEN, and OTHERS.
30 HIGH-CLASS HORSES.
DIRECT from the CELEBRATED STUD of EDWARD WHITE, Esq., MARTINDALE, and consisting of EXCEPTIONALLY WELL-BRED and HANDSOME CARRIAGE PAIRS, PERFECT BUGGY HORSES, and HACKNEYS.
Also SPLENDID HEAVY DRAUGHT COLTS and FILLIES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from EDWARD WHITE, Esq., Martindale, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, at half-past 2 o'clock,
30 HIGH-CLASS HORSES, as under:—
30 really choice colts and fillies by the thoroughbred imported stallion ALBATROSS and the imported coaching stallion WYNDHAM, 4 and 5 YEARS OLD, PRINCIPALLY COLTS, and possessing abundance of style, substance, and quality.
, INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE ARE 3 CARRIAGE AND BUGGY PAIRS, ALL BAYS AND BROWNS.
Also, 20 splendid heavy draught colts and fillies, 4 and 5 years old, by PRINCE BISMARCK and PRIDE OF THE HILLS. Worthy the special attention of heavy carriers.
THE HIGH-CLASS CHARACTER OF THE HORSES BRED AT MARTINDALE IS SO WELL KNOWN THAT THE AUCTIONEERS CONSIDER COMMENT UNNECESSARY; BUT INTENDING PURCHASERS CAN RELY THAT THE PRESENT LOT WILL BE FOUND OF EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD QUALITY, AND PARTIES REQUIRING HIGH-CLASS HORSES SELDOM HAVE SUCH AN OPPORTUNITY OF PURCHASING AS THE ABOVE SALE AFFORDS.

DRAPERY, Drapery.—Great Summer Sale, Arnold's, Oxford-street.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
TUESDAY NEXT, JANUARY 20th.
60 REALLY FIRST-CLASS SOUTH COUNTRY HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. M'INTOSH BROS., DENBEIGH, COBBITTY, to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, on TUESDAY NEXT, JANUARY 20th, at 2.30 p.m.,
45 REALLY FIRST-CLASS HORSES, consisting of heavy and active draughts, strong van and 'bus horses, and high-class well-bred saddle and harness horses, broken and unbroken; a splendid lot. Amongst them are 3 THOROUGH-BRED GALLOWAYS, by SARSFIELD, WORTHY the ATTENTION RACING MEN. Also
, One very handsome match carriage horse, bay with no white, about 16.1 high, broken to saddle and harness.
Also, On account of Mr. J. MAHONEY.
15 SUPERIOR draught colts and fillies, and really good light harness horses. Amongst the latter is one splendid brown gelding, broken to saddle and harness, an excellent jumper.

INTERCOLONIAL CRICKET MATCH.
VICTORIA v. NEW SOUTH WALES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary Association Cricket Ground to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on MONDAY next, the 19th instant, at 12 o'clock,
The right to the grand stand bars and ground booths for above match, which will commence on Saturday, the 24th instant.

SYDNEY TURF CLUB MEETING.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary of the Sydney Turf Club to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh-streets, on MONDAY, the 19th, at 12 o'clock,
The right to entrance gate and St. Leger Reserve for above meeting, to be held at Randwick on January 26th.

2 SMALL WELL-BRED COUNTRY PONIES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on MONDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
2 well-bred ponies, 12.2 high, quiet to ride, suitable for Little Bridge. Full pedigree at sale.

TO SPORTING MEN and OTHERS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. A. Roberts to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on TUESDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
FAIRLAWN CHIEF, bay gelding, by Boomerang (imp.) (the Champion Trotting Stallion of Victoria), dam Lady Kemp, sister to the dam of the well-known trotting horse Decameron.
FAIRLAWN CHIEF has never raced, and is for POSITIVE SALE.

50 TOOWOOMBA HORSES.
11 JUGIONG HORSES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. George M'Intosh, Pittsworth, Darling Downs, to sell by auction at the Camperdown Yards, on MONDAY, the 19th January, at 2.30 o'clock,
50 head of upstanding young, active, clean-legged colts and fillies, fit for all kinds of work; amongst them are 12 extra heavy draught horses, and represented as a good lot.
On account of Mr. James Osborne, Jugiong,
10 first-class light horses and 1 pony.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, the 17th instant, at 10 o'clock,
Butchers' green sheepskins.

HOMEBUSH FAT STOCK SALES.
MONDAY, January 19, 1891.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
200 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Turner Bros., Coonarith
27 prime fat cattle, for W. K. M'Millan, Esq., Bourke
15 prime fat cattle, for W Coombes, Esq., Mudgee
535 prime fat sheep, for G. Blake, Esq., Coonimbla
467 prime fat sheep, for A. H. Blake, Esq., Coonimbla
502 prime fat sheep, for S Leeman, Esq., Bourke
200 prime fat sheep, for H. Chard, Esq., Newbridge
300 prime fat sheep, for C. Boyd, Esq., Rainham
100 prime fat sheep, for W. G. Baker, Esq., Gunnedah.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, at GARLING'S BAZAAR, on TUESDAY, 20th instant, at 3 p.m., the Imported Bull EARL OF OXFORD 3rd, also the Imported Cow PRIMROSE, with calf at foot.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. will offer at auction the above pure-bred Shorthorn Cattle, recently imported by Mr. J. C. Manchee, and only just out of quarantine—
EARL OF OXFORD 3rd (57347), dark roan, calved 21st March, 1888, bred by William Chapman, of Trewithian House, Trewithian, Grampound-road, Cornwall, sire Earl of Oxford (51165), dam Red Rose by Lord of the Manor, g.d. Rose by Bismarck (35182), g.g.d. Bride by Knight of Oxford (31346), g.g.g.d. Lucy by Meridian 2nd (20538), and so on.
Earl of Oxford 3rd took second prize at Devon County Show, Tolhes, 1889, taking first and champion, with Duke of Trewithian in the same class, also many others.
The sire Earl of Oxford (51165) was shown 17 times, winning 12 first, 2 championships, 2 seconds, and 2 thirds, including the Royal Agricultural Society's first prize at Preston in 1885 in a class of 10 animals, including Self-Esteem 2nd and other real winners.
PRIMROSE, calved 30th August, 1885; also, bred by W. Chapman, sire Earl of Oxford (51165), dam Verbena by Duke of Clarence (46203), g.d. Laburnum 3rd by Duke of Townley 2nd (41195), g.g.d. Laburnum by Lord Oxford (29109), and so on.
THE CALF is also a magnificently bred one on both sides.
The above, as can be seen from the pedigrees, must be looked upon as two of the finest bred animals that have been imported into the colony, and the auctioneers can with every confidence invite inspection.
Full pedigrees and information on application
HILL, CLARK, and CO., 129 Pitt-street.

FAT STOCK FOR MONDAY'S SALE.
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, on MONDAY NEXT, the 19th instant,
100 prime fat cattle, for Dr. Campbell, Thundah
20 ditto ditto ditto, for J. A. Gardiner, Esq., Gobolion
1100 ditto ditto sheep, for the Nanol Pastoral Company, Limited, Edgerol
200 prime fat sheep, for E. Locke, Esq., Locksley.

HOMEBUSH SALES.
J. C. YOUNG and CO. will sell by auction at Homebush, on MONDAY, the 19th instant,
540 prime fat wethers, from Pullaming, for Messrs. Browne Bros.
Terms, cash.

HOMEBUSH, MONDAY NEXT, at 10 o'clock.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction, as above,
200 prime fat bullocks, for Messrs. H. C. White and Cobb, Bando
150 ditto ditto ditto, for the Nocoleche Estate, Mooteld
45 ditto ditto station-bred ditto, for the A. A. Co., Warrah
540 ditto ditto sheep, for the Walhallow Estate, Walhallow
500 ditto ditto ditto, for W. T. Rutledge, Esq., Gidleigh
200 ditto ditto ditto, for M. Toomey, Esq., Newbridge
100 ditto ditto ditto, for J. H. Smith, Esq., Bungendore
250 ditto ditto ditto, for R. Adams, Esq.

TRADE NOTICE.
WARDEN HARRY GRAVES will sell through the Homebush Yards, on MONDAY next, at usual hours,
50 prime fat cattle, for Northern agents, by rail
20 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. M'Kinnon, Crellin and Co., by rail
800 prime fat sheep for W. H. Ellis, Esq., by rail.

WILKINSON, LAVENDER, and CHAPMAN will sell at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, on MONDAY, 19th instant, at usual hours,
130 fat cattle, for Messrs. Moodie, Donaldson, Inglis, and Co., per rail
1500 fat sheep, for Messrs. Parsons and Dill, per rail
1000 fat sheep, for G. H. Bureher, Esq., per rail
1100 fat sheep, for executors of late Hon. E. Flood, per rail
and
450 fat sheep and lambs, for R. Hodnett, Esq., per rail.

AUCTIONEERS' CIRCULAR.
AUSTRALIAN AUCTION ROOMS, Spring and O'Connell streets, Sydney.
Messrs. NEWTON and LAMB desire to remind GENTLEMEN ABOUT to LEAVE the COLONY, TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS, and others contemplating the realisation of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, BOOKS, PICTURES, ARTICLES of VERTU, &c., that they are prepared as hitherto to undertake AUCTION SALES of ALL DESCRIPTIONS of GOODS either in Town or Country.
The Auction Branch is under the management of Mr. EDWARD NEWTON, who has conducted the sales for the past 25 years, with marked success.
, A staff of EXPERIENCED Assistants is permanently retained.
, SALES can be arranged for at the Auctioneers' Rooms.
, VALUATIONS carefully made and INVENTORIES taken.
NEWTON and LAMB, AUCTIONEERS and VALUATORS, SPRING and O'CONNELL STREETS.

TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11 a.m.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, at MILTON COTTAGE, MILTON-STREET, ASHFIELD, of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, consisting of
GLASS, CHINA, PLATE
MAHOGANY DINING-ROOM SUITE
HANDSOME BLACK MARBLE STRIKING CLOCK
BOOKCASE, Austrian Furniture
ENGRAVINGS and OLEOGRAPHS, Bronze Umbrella Stand
ELEGANT WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE
Inlaid Oval Walnut Loo Table
HANDSOME INLAID WALNUT CHIFFONNIERE
MAGNIFICENT ROSEWOOD COTTAGE PIANO, by Erard, with all the latest improvements; a fine instrument
ELEGANT SEVRES CHINA DRAWING-ROOM CLOCK, under glass shade
Inlaid Musical Box, playing 8 choice selections
Gilt Cornices and Curtains
MASSIVE BEDSTEADS and SUPERIOR BEDDING
ELEGANT WALNUT WASHSTAND, with marble top
Chests Drawers, Toilet Sets
Massive Single Wardrobe
Carpets and Linoleum.
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, Meat Safes
Boxes Tools, Carpenter's Bench
Iron Verandah Chairs
FINE COLLECTION FERNS
Lawn Mower, Wheelbarrow, Garden Tools, &c.

TO PERSONS FURNISHING.
NEWTON and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at Milton Cottage, Milton-street, Ashfield, on TUESDAY, 20th January, at 11 a.m.,
The WHOLE of the SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CHINA, GLASS, PLATE, and SPLENDID PIANO by ERARD.
, On VIEW on MONDAY, 19th instant, from 2 p.m. to 5.30 p.m., and on MORNING of SALE.
, Catalogues obtainable at the Rooms.

FURNITURE AUCTION, on the Premises No. 8 Tunnyfield-terrace, Illawarra-road, Marrickville, between Charles and Woodlands streets, at 3 p.m., consisting of
Drawing-room Suite, Household Furniture, &c.

TO WHOLESALE and RETAIL GROCERS, WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, ON MONDAY NEXT, JANUARY 19th, at 11 o'clock sharp, of A SPLENDID SHIPMENT of OILMEN'S STORES, Just Landed, ex Tamar, comprising
100 Cases, each 3 doz. Round Pts. Assorted Pickles, Hogarth and Co.
100 ditto, ditto 2 ditto, Quarts Vinegar, ditto ditto
40 ditto, ditto 12 ditto, 1lb. packets Refined Table Salt, ditto ditto
20 ditto, ditto 6 doz., 5oz. Bots. Castor Oil, ditto ditto
20 ditto, ditto 4 ditto, 10oz. ditto ditto, ditto ditto
100 ditto, each 1 dozen, Quarts Limejuice Cordial, ditto ditto
100 ditto, each 6 dozen, pint Worcester Sauce, ditto ditto
24 ditto, ditto 3 ditto, ditto Limejuice Cordial, ditto ditto
100 ditto Preserved Fruits, assorted
5 ditto best Indian Chutnee, assorted quarts
10 ditto ditto ditto Curry Powder
50 ditto Tomato Sauce
40 ditto Port Wine, ditto
&c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions from the shippers to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street, on MONDAY Next, January 19, at 11 o'clock sharp,
THE WHOLE OF THE ABOVE INVOICES.
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
TERMS, NET CASH.

TO FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and OTHERS.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET.
On MONDAY, JANUARY 19, at 2.30 sharp.
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising
Cedar Bookcases, plateglass doors, with drawers and cupboards; Office Tables and Desks
Cedar Chiffonier Safes, Cedar and Pine Bedroom Suites
Cane Chairs and Lounges, Cedar and Pine Wardrobes, plateglass doors; Cedar and Pine Chests of Drawers
Pair Toilets, in Cedar and Pine
Single and Double Washstands and Toilet Tables, in Cedar and Pine
Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers, Cedar Wardrobes
Pine Kitchen Tables and Dressers, Pine Meat Safes
Pine and Cedar Extending Dining Tables
&c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 123 Pitt-street, THE WHOLE OF THE ABOVE On MONDAY, January 19, at 2.30 sharp.
TERMS AT SALE.

To FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN, LADIES and GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, COMMISSION AGENTS, and OTHERS.
MOST IMPORTANT and ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, On MONDAY, JANUARY 19, at 2.30 o'clock sharp, of HIGH ART OVERMANTELS JUST LANDED in SPLENDID ORDER and CONDITION.
Ex S.S. Fifeshire.
comprising OVERMANTELS. OVERMANTELS, in Handsomely Carved Solid Walnut and Rosewood Frames, BLACK and GOLD and GILT OVERMANTELS, with Bevelled Plates, Side shelves, and Brackets, HANDSOMELY CARVED WALNUT and BLACK and GOLD MIRRORS &c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to Chas. Moore and Co.) have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on MONDAY, January 19, at 11 o'clock sharp, at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street,
The above shipment of HIGH-ART OVERMANTELS.
, The Auctioneers desire to call the special attention of the trade to this most important sale, as every line must be sold absolutely WITHOUT RESERVE.

PIANOS. PIANOS. PIANOS.
To Pianoforte Warehousemen, Musicsellers, Private Buyers, and Others.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE.
AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET.
On TUESDAY Next, January 20, at 11 o'clock sharp, of
20 Cases WALNUT and BLACK and GOLD PIANOS, Just Landed, ex Olga.
From the well-known makers, Simon, Erard, Wilhelm, Wagner, and others, consisting of
Walnut and Black and Gold Upright Grand Pianos, LIPP MODEL, double iron frame, oblique overstrung, brass wrest plank, side handles, double sconces, by SIMON, of Stuttgart
WALNUT and BLACK and GOLD COTTAGE PIANOS, double iron frame, oblique and overstrung, by WILHELM
WALNUT and GOLD PIANOS, by WAGNER
WALNUT PIANOS, by ERARD, London.
Also, VARIOUS SECOND-HAND PIANOS
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions from the shippers to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 123 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, January 20, at 11 o'clock sharp, the above shipment of PIANOS.

MOST IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
To Wholesale and Retail Fancy-goods Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, and others.
IMPORTANT AND ABSOLUTE CLEARANCE SALE, at the ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, JANUARY 21, at 11 o'clock sharp, of
90 PACKAGES of GENERAL MERCHANDISE, ex recent arrivals, consisting of
Cases Papier Mache Table and Trays
Ditto Wall-pockets and Plaques
Ditto Goblets, Tumblers, and Glassware
Ditto Table and Pocket Cutlery, assorted
Ditto Typewriters
Ditto Jewel and Envelope Cases, assorted
Ditto Varnish and Paints
Ditto Coffee-mills, assorted
Ditto Opal Pictures and Oleographs
Ditto Reliefs and Folding Screens
Ditto Albatoid Spoons and Forks, assorted
Ditto Tooth and Hair Brushes
Ditto Opera and Field Glasses
Ditto E.P. 3, 4, 5 hole Cruets
Ditto Lawn Tennis Racquets, assorted Nos.
Ditto Cricket Bats, all cane, double and single cane
Ditto Cricket and Lawn Tennis Balls, assorted
Ditto Gladstone and Brief Bags, assorted
Ditto Fancy Glass and China Vases
&c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (Successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, January 21, at 11 o'clock sharp,
THE WHOLE OF THE ABOVE GOODS.
, The trade are specially notified that every line will be sold ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE, in order to close accounts.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
To Wholesale and Retail Ironmongers, Dealers, Private Buyers, and others.
AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, On WEDNESDAY NEXT, JANUARY 21, at 11 o'clock sharp.
AN INVOICE of 16 FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES, from The CELEBRATED MANUFACTURERS WALKER and SONS, of BIRMINGHAM, consisting of
1 Fire and Burglar Proof Safe, 4½ft., double doors
1 Ditto ditto ditto ditto, 4ft., ditto ditto
2 Ditto ditto ditto Safes, 3ft., ditto ditto
1 Ditto ditto ditto Safe, 3ft., single door
9 Ditto ditto ditto Safes, 2½ft., ditto ditto
2 Ditto ditto ditto ditto, 2ft., ditto ditto.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, at 11 o'clock sharp,
THE ABOVE INVOICE OF SAFES.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THOSE CONCERNED.
To Wholesale and Retail China and Glassware Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, Shippers, and others.
IMPORTANT AND POSITIVELY UNRESERVED SALE. AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, On FRIDAY NEXT, JANUARY 23, commencing at 11 o'clock sharp, AND CONTINUING THROUGHOUT THE DAY (LUNCHEON PROVIDED), of ONE OF THE LARGEST CONSIGNMENTS of CHINAWARE, CROCKERYWARE, and GLASSWARE ever offered in this Market, comprising about 400 BULK PACKAGES, and just landed ex Tamar, Talavera, Port Jackson, Panmure, and Cassarea, consisting of
Hogsheads hand-painted and gilt Toilet Sets, Athens and Portland shapes
Ditto ditto ditto, Gothic shape
Ditto W. and G. assorted Ware
Ditto ditto Cups and Saucers, Irish size
Ditto Chinaware, celeste and gold assorted
Ditto fancy Teapots
Ditto hand-painted Sets Jugs
Crates band and line Cups and Saucers
Ditto white granite ditto
Ditto printed Dinner Sets, 54 pieces
Hogsheads W. and G. Cups and Saucers, Bute and Paris
Large plain Sodas, Nobblers, Tumblers, Ports, Sherries, Water Bottles, Caraffes, and Ugas
Crates printed Toilet Sets, 5 pieces
Ditto servants' Toilet Sets
Ditto Toilet Sets, enamelled, pink and gold bands
Ditto ditto ditto, hand-painted flowers and gilt
Ditto ditto ditto, granite
Ditto printed Cups and Saucers
Ditto ditto and band and line Bowls
Ditto Meat Dishes, 8-24
Ditto C. C. and yellow Bakers
Ditto china Mugs, assorted
&c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (Successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions to sell by public auction, on ACCOUNT and RISK of THOSE CONCERNED, at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY NEXT, January 23, at 11 o'clock sharp,
The WHOLE of the ABOVE EXTENSIVE SHIPMENTS.
, CATALOGUES now ready and may be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, 123 Pitt-street.
The Auctioneers desire to draw the special attention of the trade to the fact that every line will be sold regardless of cost.
TERMS LIBERAL AT SALE.
, Samples on view day previous to Sale.

To Wholesale and Retail Warehousemen, Country Buyers, Dealers and Others.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, ON THURSDAY NEXT, JANUARY 22, at 11 o'clock sharp, of A SPLENDID CONSIGNMENT OF DRAPERY, just landed ex Pakeha.
Consisting of
Men's Fancy Tweed Sac Coats, 3-7
Men's Ditto, Ditto, Tweed Trousers, 3-7
Ditto Ditto, Worsted Trousers, assorted
Boys' Blue Serge Federation Suits, 9-12
Ditto Fancy Tweed Sac Suits, 9-12
Youths' Ditto Ditto Ditto Ditto, 10-13
Boys' and Youths' Fancy Worsted Suits, 3-9
Men's Tweed and Worsted Sac Suits
Men's White Shirts, assorted
Ditto Harvard and Flannelette Shirts
Boys' Nautical Collars, assorted
White Handkerchiefs, assorted, 18½ x 18½
Ditto ditto, Twill, Navy Spots
Ditto, ditto, Printed Borders
White and Grey Sultan Towels
Men's Merino Half-Hose, assorted
&c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received instructions from the Shippers to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 123 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY Next, January 22, at 11 o'clock sharp,
THE ABOVE CONSIGNMENT OF DRAPERY.

Extensive Clearing-out Sale Building Materials.
THIS DAY, January 17, at 2.30 p.m. sharp.
Brighton-street, Petersham, next Public Park,
Grand and nearly new Stock of Timber, all sizes. Girders, Joists, Studs, Plates, Posts, and H. Wood 6 x 1 Bds., 6 x ¾, 6 x ½, T. and G. Bds. long lengths
Cedar Doors, with Architraves and Moulds, all complete
Box Frames and Sashes, regulation size, good order
Corrugated Iron, all lengths; Shelving and ship's Fittings
Quantity Timber, all sizes. Worth inspection.
GEO. P. BAINES has pleasure in drawing attention of builders and others to this bona-fide sale, and will be sold to highest bidder. Terms Cash.

CAPITAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, 21 Forbes-street, Newtown.
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 2.30 o'clock.
Cedar Sideboard, Austrian Furniture, Couch, Bookcase and Books, Chest of Drawers, Dining and other Tables, Single and Double Bedsteads, Wire Mattress, and clean Bedding, Washstand and Ware, Carpets, Oilcloth, Mirrors, Clocks, China, Glass, Kitchen Utensils and Sundries.
T. PHILLIPS will sell by auction on the premises as above THIS DAY. Without Reserve.
Auction Offices, 18 Elizabeth-street.
Outdoor Sales Conducted—A Speciality.

AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE COY., of SYDNEY, Limited.
To Capitalists, Mining Investors, &c. Sale by Auction.
The above Exchange Company has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction without reserve, to close accounts, the undermentioned Shares, THIS DAY, the 17th instant, at 12 noon:—
540 shares Castle Bag Proprietary
1000 ditto Castle Kings, P.U.
2275 ditto ditto ditto, contributing
1500 ditto Castle Queens
4000 ditto Castle Prince
1000 ditto Castle Chief, P.U.
1000 ditto ditto ditto, contributing
100 ditto Phœnix
50 ditto N. W. Sunlights
100 ditto Golden Gullys
5 ditto Port Stephen Coal
Lease in Lewis Ponds district Foster Firmin gold plant.
D. JONES, Secretary.

Continuation Sale BUILDING MATERIALS, George-street, corner Bathurst-street. CLEARANCE SALE.
TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, at 11 o'clock.
Two first-class Shop Fronts, with doors, frames, &c. Large quantity of Hardwood, all sizes, Boards Panel Doors, Ledge and Half-glazed ditto, good lot Boards, Flooring and Lining Boards, good lengths Quantity Timber, every description. Must be sold.
GEO. P. BAINES will hold Clearance Sale as above, and every line must be sold highest bidder.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, at the City Mart, at 11 o'clock.
FIRST CROP FOOCHOW TEAS, by first Steamers of the season.
2000 PACKAGES CHOICEST PANYONG CONGOUS and Medium Sorts of Early Growth for ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION.
On Account of the Parties Interested.
TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above.
Catalogues in course of preparation.

MUSTERS, MONDAY.
THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 o'clock.
On the Premises of the SYDNEY PRINTING and STATIONERY COMPANY, Limited, ELIZABETH-STREET, REDFERN.
By Order of the Liquidators.
Highly Important Sale by Auction.
THE MOST SUPERB AND COMPLETE PRINTING PLANT IN AUSTRALIA, all in Running Order.
PRINTING and LITHOGRAPHIC MACHINES of the most Modern and Costly Designs and capacity, valued at £5000.
TYPE and STOCK-IN-TRADE, in variety.
DYNAMO-PHOTO. APPARATUS and ELECTRIC BATH, &c.
The whole of the Newspaper and Printing Trades in this country should be represented at the sale.
Also, THE FREEHOLD of the Valuable Land and Buildings of the Company, being allotments 24 and 25, Redfern Estate, having 36ft. frontage by 90ft. deep.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.
Particulars in catalogues now issued.

TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11 a.m.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at SADOWA, 113 GLENMORE-ROAD, PADDINGTON, the residence of D. & K. MILLER, Esq., of the whole of his ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising
CUT and ENGRAVED GLASSWARE
Hand-painted China
BEST QUALITY ELECTROPLATE
AUSTRIAN BENT-WOOD FURNITURE
WALNUT HAT and UMBRELLA STAND
MAGNIFICENT MARBLE CLOCK
MASSIVE CEDAR ENCLOSED SIDEBOARD
MAHOGANY DINING-TABLE
Cornices and Curtains
ELEGANT WALNUT OVERMANTELS, with bevelled edge, plate-glass, and side shelves for statuary
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in French tapestry and silk plush
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, by Neufeld, overstrung, on strong metal frame, with all the latest improvements
Choice Water Colours and Engravings
PAIR HANDSOME CARD TABLES, in AMBOYNA WOOD, beautifully inlaid
Brass-mounted Bedsteads and Bedding
Washstands, Chest Drawers
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from D. & K. MILLER, to sell by auction, at SADOWA, GLENMORE-ROAD, His ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, on TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11 a.m.,
TERMS CASH.
, On view MONDAY, from 10 to 4.
HOUSE to LET.

THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, at 11 a.m.
MOST IMPORTANT SALE, by public auction at the residence of T. J. STUTCHBURY, Esq., CLYTHA, AVOCA-STREET, RANDWICK, of the whole of his ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS.
Full particulars of which will duly appear.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from T. J. STUTCHBURY, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence CLYTHA, RANDWICK, on THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY, the whole of his ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and effects.
CATALOGUES in course of preparation.
CLYTHA is for sale or to let.

On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 21st instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.
AT THE ROOMS, 7 WYNYARD-STREET.
8 CASES DAMAGED DRAPERY.
ASSORTED MANCHESTER GOODS. JUST LANDED.
MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, SHIRTS, and HATS.
GENERAL DRAPERY, LINEN GOODS.
BOOTS and SHOES.
JAMES RODD and CO. will sell by auction, at the old-established Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 21st instant, at 11 sharp,
Invoices of the above goods.
Extensive FANCY GOODS SALE next FRIDAY.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.
A Chance for Working Men to secure a HOME in a good position on exceedingly easy terms.
SMALL DEPOSIT, BALANCE AS RENT.
FOUR BRICK COTTAGES, Nos. 14, 16, 18 CARLISLE-STREET, and No. 21 MARLBOROUGH-STREET, LEICHHARDT, each 3 rooms and kitchen, on allotments of land having large depths.
Torrens Title. No Reserve.
W. PRITCHARD and SON have been instructed to sell by auction, on the Ground, next SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 24th January, at 3 o'clock,
Four small brick cottages, Nos. 14, 16, 18 Carlisle-st., and 21 Marlborough-street, Leichhardt.
Close to tram, post-office, town-hall, and banks.

BALMAIN.
The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS of a 5-roomed Cottage at GLADESVILLE, removed to No. 76 Beattie-street, Balmain, being premises lately occupied as Downey's Furniture Store.
W. PRITCHARD and SON will sell by auction, on the above mentioned premises 76 Beattie-street, next TUESDAY, 20th January, at 11 o'clock,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE consisting of Drawing-room suite, dining-room suite, and furniture of two bedrooms, washstands, carpets, and kitchen utensils.
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.
On view SATURDAY MORNING.

TO MANUFACTURERS, BUILDERS, AND INVESTORS who require a centrally-situated and roomy BLOCK of LAND for the erection of FACTORY BUILDINGS, WORKSHOPS, or STORES.
In the ESTATE of the late J. FREY.
DOUBLE FRONTAGE ALLOTMENT OF LAND, 50ft. by 217ft.
OLD AND NEW PARRAMATTA ROAD, FOREST LODGE.
A few yards from the corner of Ross-street, and contiguous to Hockshall's Centennial Biscuit Factory and Bennett's Soda Crystal Works; on which is erected a stone and W.B. two-storied building, now occupied by a caretaker.
This land is peculiarly adapted as a site for the erection of industrial buildings, as by virtue of its close proximity to the city boundary (the Leichhardt tram and 'buses passing it every few minutes), and its frontage to the New Parramatta-road, now known as George-street West; it is easily accessible, and consequent on the contour of the surface which slopes gently back to the Old Parramatta-road, along which the Glebe Council have laid an underground sewer, the ground is thoroughly drained. And as the land possesses two main-road frontages, combined with a liberal depth, every square foot of surface can be utilised.
FIRST-CLASS FREEHOLD TITLE, particulars of which may be obtained from Messrs. FITZHARDING, SON, and HOUSTON.
W. PRITCHARD and SON have been favoured with instructions from Mr. J. FREY (executor in the estate of the late J. Frey) to sell by auction, in their Rooms, 100 King-street, NEXT THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described block of land.
Plan and further particulars of which may be obtained at the rooms of the Auctioneers.

WOOLLAHRA HEIGHTS.
COMFORTABLE and COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE, South Head-road and Wallis-street,
Overlooking Centennial Park, of the picturesque and charming beauties of which it commands panoramic views, which extend to Botany Bay and the Blue Mountains.
Also, An excellent BUILDING BLOCK adjoining, having two frontages to South Head-road and Wallis-street respectively.
First-class Freehold Title.
W. PRITCHARD and SON have been instructed to sell by public auction in the Rooms, 100 King-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 22nd January, at 11 o'clock,
All that Allotment of Land, a portion of the Point Piper Estate, Woollahra, having a frontage of about 72ft. to South Head-road by a depth through to Wallis-street, to which it has a similar frontage, upon which is erected a commodious Family Residence, most faithfully built of brick on solid stone foundations, with cemented front and sides and iron roof. It contains large drawing-room, wide hall, dining-room, 4 roomy bedrooms, servant's room, bathroom, pantry, kitchen with range, scullery, laundry, &c. In front is verandah and glazed balcony which overlook the park; at the rear are 2 balconies which command extensive views of the Harbour.
Adjoining is a first-class Building Site of similar dimensions which could be purchased as an additional area for garden purposes or as a site for the erection of a first-class residence.
The House is situated midway between the Moncur-street and Ocean-street stopping-places, and adjoins the residence of G. Marr, Esq., and altogether forms a most desirable property for either residential or letting purposes, as a visit of inspection will prove.
Title first-class, freehold. Terms at the Rooms.

WATER FRONTAGE VILLA SITE, WOOLWICH, commanding picturesque views of the Parramatta River and Hunter's Hill, close to steamer's wharf, and adjoining the residence of Mr. Fosie. Deep water frontage free from reservation.
A UNIQUE BLOCK FOR A GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE.
Remember that the supply of water frontages cannot be increased, while the demand for such is growing EVERY DAY.
W. PRITCHARD and SON have been favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 100 King-street, NEXT THURSDAY, January 22, at 11 o'clock,
PORTIONS of lots 37 and 38 of Valentia Estate, having a frontage of 80ft. to Mount Morris-st., by a depth of 185ft. on one side, and 165ft. on the other to the Parramatta River, to which it has a frontage of about 70ft.
Torrens' Title. Terms at the Rooms.

LOT 3, Section 1, BOYD and KING'S SUBDIVISION close to Railway, and contiguous to St. Peters-Liverpool Loop Line.
LOTS 3 and 26, Section 6, ELTHAM ESTATE, having a frontage of 66ft. to Albert-street by depth through to Eltham-street of 300ft., close to the residence of A. Makinson, Esq.
W. PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Federal Auction Rooms, 100 King-street, on THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock,
The above described Guildford and Gladesville properties, for absolutely unreserved sale.

TO BUILDING SOCIETIES, COAL COMPANIES, SPECULATORS, AND OTHERS.
A Magnificent, well-timbered BLOCK of LAND, containing 500 acres, more or less,
PARISH OF WYONG, COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND, admirably adapted for Fruit-growing or agricultural purposes, and by virtue of its being contiguous to the Alison's Estate Coal Company property is of great prospective value for coal-mining purposes.
W. PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions from the proprietor, Mr. Jas. Morgan, to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 100 King-street, NEXT THURSDAY, January 22, at 11 o'clock,
The above described block of land, containing 500 acres, more or less, as per plan to be seen at the rooms.
Title, Crown Grant. Terms easy.

SALVAGE. SALVAGE. SALVAGE.
From the late Fire on the Premises of Messrs. FELDHEIM, GOTTHELF, and CO., Hoskin-place.
EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF GENERAL IRONMONGERY, CHINA, GLASSWARE, HOLLOWARE, FANCY GOODS, &c., Carpenters' Tools, Vyces, Soldering Irons, Cutlery, GRINDSTONE FITTINGS, DOG CHAINS, FLATIRONS, SHEEP and CATTLE BELLS, Files, Rasps, Spanners, Furnishing Ironmongery, Iron Pulley Blocks, Enamelled Dishes, Mugs, Cups and Saucers, Saddlers' Ironmongery, Hames, Nails, Screws, Gate Hinges, Locks, Mattocks, Axes, Hammers, Axles, Wheels, Sausage Machines, Fryingpans, Sundries.
TERMS CASH. NO RESERVE.
W. PRITCHARD and SON are instructed by those concerned to sell by auction, on the Premises, Hoskin's-place, off Castlereagh-street, on MONDAY, January 19, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Full particulars at sale. The trade specially invited to attend.

BALMAIN.
HOUSE, built of W. B., with iron roof, and containing 4 ROOMS, &c., situate and being No. 9 LITTLE-STREET, BALMAIN.
LAND 30 x 87. TORRENS TITLE.
DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 109 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1891, at 11.30, as above.

MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS.
LOT 18, having 50ft. frontage to CAREY-STREET by a depth of 150ft. Also, LOTS 21 to 25 inclusive, having 150ft. frontage to PREMIER-STREET by a depth 140ft. running along PARK-ROAD, section 6 of THE WARREN ESTATE, upon which is erected TWO SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, one contains 10 rooms, and the other 5 rooms, flower and vegetable gardens. COTTAGE, built of brick, with iron roof, let at 4s per week.
On LOT 18 is STABLE and COACHHOUSE built of W. B.
TORRENS TITLE.
DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 109 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, January 27, at 11.30, as above.

MARRICKVILLE.
ALLOTMENT, having 106ft. frontage to SYDNEY-STREET by a depth of 120ft., and being part of ABIGAIL'S SUBDIVISION.
TITLE FREEHOLD.
DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 109 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, January 27, at 11.30, as above.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
SUMMER HILL.
VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENT, No. 12, section 6, of the UNDERWOOD ESTATE, having 50ft. frontage to the east side of DOVER-STREET, between Kensington-street and Grosvenor Crescent, depth 200ft. The Land is fenced and surrounded by first-class properties.
FRASER and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the City Mart, 339 George-street, on MONDAY, February 2, at 11.30 prompt,
The above elevated building site on the northern side of railway line at Summer Hill.
PLAN ON VIEW.

CROWN-STREET, SURRY HILLS (tram route).
VALUABLE BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, having about 36ft. frontage to the east side of CROWN-STREET, south of Little Devonshire-street, almost opposite Miles-street; depth about 94ft. 6in. one side and about 116ft. on the other, extending to a lane.
FRASER and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the City Mart, 339 George-street, on MONDAY, February 2, at 11.30 a.m. prompt,
The above building block at Surry Hills. Every way adapted for the erection of a Terrace of Houses which would command good and regular tenants.
R. & C. G. ROBERTS, Esq., Elizabeth-street, Solicitor for the Vendor.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
LONGUEVILLE, LANE COVE RIVER.
A Newly-designed COTTAGE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS in area ONE ACRE, fronting STUART-STREET, only a few minutes' walk of the steamers' wharf.
The Land has 165ft. frontage, depth 264ft.
FRASER and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction at the City Mart, 339 George-street, on MONDAY, 2nd FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m. prompt,
The above-desirable cottage residence.
Full Particulars in future issue.
Messrs. SPAIN and MOORE, Exchange, Solicitors for Mortgagee.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
LAWSON ESTATE, WAVERLEY. Overlooking Centennial Park.
BLEAK HOUSE, a two-story residence, fronting the west side of LAWSON-STREET, between South Head-road and the Centennial Park.
FRASER and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the City Mart, 339 George-street, on MONDAY, 2nd February, at 11.30 a.m. prompt,
The above dwelling, fronting the Centennial Park, Waverley. Full particulars in future issue.
Messrs. SPAIN and MOORE, Exchange, Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

POSTPONED TILL THURSDAY, 22nd JANUARY.
ORDER OF SALE.
IN THE ROOMS, 130 PITT-STREET.
SHARES, CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.
IN THE ESTATE OF MESSRS. FAGAN BROS.
SHARES.—540 Preferential (being Nos. 76,542 to 77,081 inclusive) and 1276 Ordinary Shares (being Nos. 14,786 to 16,063 inclusive) in the Metropolitan Coal Trust Co.
CITY OF SYDNEY.—No. 96 ALBION-STREET, butcher's shop and dwelling, containing cellar, shop, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, outbuildings, &c., on land having 17ft. frontage, by a depth of about 130ft. to a lane at the rear.
REDFERN, BOURKE-STREET.—Choice block of land, having 27ft. frontage, by a depth of 150ft. to a street at rear, on which is a brick dwelling-house, containing 7 rooms, kitchen, and laundry, extensive stabling at rear, and is now in the occupation of Mr. Fagan.
WAVERLEY.—KENT-STREET, near the LUGAR BRAE ESTATE, and close to the tram line.—ATHENS-TERRACE, comprising 3 houses, built of brick on stone foundations, each containing hall, dining and drawing rooms, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, servant's room, laundry, verandah, &c., situate on land having a frontage of 50ft., by a depth of 80ft. These houses are well situate, and command splendid views of the ocean and coast, and readily let at 17s 6d a week each.
BONDI.—O'BRIEN-STREET, splendid Block of Building Land, having 99ft. frontage to Francis-street, by a depth of 150ft., and being lots 2, 3, and 4 of Boyd's subdivision.
MANLY.—CLIFTON HEIGHTS.—Lot 3, section 2, of Cliff and Pile's SUBDIVISION of the Bassett-Darley Estate, having 50ft. frontage to REDDALL-STREET, by a depth of 150ft. This is one of the choicest Blocks in the estate, it is near the steamers' wharf, and commands unequalled views of the coast and headlands to the north, with their background of beautiful mountains, and is in the neighbourhood of good houses. A really choice property.
GOSFORD.—THE COURT HOUSE HOTEL, in the best business part of the town, and is built of stone with wood partitions, and contains bar, 11 rooms, &c. Should readily let at a good rental, besides commanding a good premium. It is at present let at 35s per week. The whole standing on a block of land having 66ft. frontage to the MAIN ROAD by a great depth.
BRISBANE WATER.—NUCKLEDOON'S GRANT of 113 acres, 3 roods 32 perches, less the area taken for the railway, which intersects the property. This Estate has a large water frontage, and extends over the beautiful hills at back. When a revival of land speculation takes place it should readily sell in SUBDIVISION.
BRISBANE WATER.—PETER FAGAN'S GRANT of 100 acres, just opposite Gosford, less the land taken for the railway which intersects the property. This is unquestionably the finest property in the district, and should sell readily in subdivision. The Auctioneers believe from what they have learned at Gosford that residents would purchase largely if the property was now subdivided. It is beautifully situate, facing the water, and a railway platform is in close proximity.
GOSFORD.—MAIDEN SCRUB, a block of about 64 acres of rich brush land, about 2 miles from the town. This land is well suited for orchards and market gardens. The land is of the richest description, equal to the celebrated Northern River scrubs.
HAWKESBURY RIVER.—MILSON'S GRANT of 40 acres, less the land taken for the railway, which intersects the property. There is a good water frontage to this property.
HAWKESBURY RIVER.—The BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP less the land which has been taken by the Government for railway purposes, and the few allotments sold as shown on plan. This property if well handled should bring a large price on subdivision, as it comprises the only spot on the river and railway suitable for a township, and will grow to big value soon. The attention of speculators is specially invited to this estate.
HEATHCOTE.—SIX CHOICE BLOCKS of LAND, making a total area of 21a. 0r. 32p., situate in close proximity to the railway station, and being portion of the Original Bottle Forest Grants.
PLANS of the VARIOUS PROPERTIES on VIEW at the ROOMS.
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON, Auctioneers.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22.
In the ESTATE of Messrs. FAGAN BROS.
CITY, SUBURBAN, and GOSFORD PROPERTIES.
The Auctioneers have arranged to sell the Properties in the above Estate on the following terms:—
25 PER CENT. deposit, balance by pro. notes at 6, 12, and 18 months, bearing 6 per cent. interest.
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON, 130 Pitt-street.

SATURDAY, 24th JANUARY, 1891.
THE GREAT SALE of CHOICE MOUNTAIN BUILDING SITES.
THE BLUE MOUNTAIN TOWNSHIP, LAWSON, commanding views over the County of Cumberland FROM SYDNEY TO THE BLUE MOUNTAINS.
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON have received instructions from the Proprietor to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY, 24th January, at 2.30 o'clock,
This choice property, which has been so long reserved from sale. It is situate close to the LAWSON RAILWAY STATION, fronting the MAIN BATHURST ROAD, and comprises the whole of the gentle sloping land to the edge of the rapidly-falling ground. It has been most judiciously subdivided, the portion nearest the Railway in good-sized allotments, the further portion into blocks of from one to six acres in extent.
The soil is light loam, capable of producing all English fruits, flowers, and vegetables.
This unique property will be sold on remarkably liberal terms:
10 per cent. deposit on signing contract.
15 per cent. in three months, and the balance at one, two, and three years, bearing 6 per cent. interest.
LITHOGRAPHS ARE NOW READY.
The Title will be Torrens.
Messrs. Montagu and Herbert, Solicitors for Vendor.
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON, AUCTIONEERS.

MOSS VALE FREEHOLD LAND.
To INVESTORS, ORCHARDISTS, BUILDERS, and Persons on the look out for choice Country Residence Sites.
AUCTION SALE OF 600 ACRES.
FIRST SUBDIVISION of AUSTERMERE ESTATE LANDS, at MOSS VALE, immediately adjoining THE TOWN.
IN BLOCKS FROM 5 to 15 ACRES EACH, on the WEST SIDE of RAILWAY LINE, between MOSS VALE and BONG BONG PLATFORM.
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON have received instructions from the Hon. John Lackey, M.L.C. (subject to the approval of the Court as to the interest of Mackenzie Bowman), to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, in FEBRUARY NEXT,
A SUBDIVISION of 600 acres along the Railway Line in blocks of 5 to 15 acres each.
These lands comprise very choice spots, beautiful undulating hills, and care has been taken to include a good residence site in each block.
The soil is rich, and well suited to the growth of all English fruits.
TERMS will be very liberal, say 10 per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. in six months, and the balance on mortgage for a term, at 6 per cent. interest per annum.
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON, Auctioneers, 130 Pitt-street.

MANLY.
SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, at 3.30 p.m.
FOR POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION, on the Premises.
H. TOWNSEND ROBEY.
That beautifully-situated STONE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, known as the LAWN, situated under the Kangaroo, in Belgrave-street, Manly.
The COTTAGE contains 10 rooms, &c., and all conveniences, stables, coachhouse, and large area of grassed land.
H. TOWNSEND ROBEY will sell by auction, as above, on SATURDAY, January 24, at 3.30 p.m.
Terms easy.
Also, immediately after the above, for private sale, Allotments facing Pittwater-road and Ocean Beach, at considerably reduced prices.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31.
LAND SALE, RANDWICK, near Waverley.
Splendid Building Lots on hill near residence of J. JONES, Esq., near FERN and SUSAN STREETS.
Sale on the Ground, SATURDAY, 31st JANUARY, at 3 p.m.
Will be sold CHEAPLY, to CLOSE the ESTATE.
Position Unrivalled.
F. W. H. PEARCE, Auctioneer, Randwick.

COOGEE.
LAND SALE.
CHOICE ALLOTMENTS.
BROOK and CARR STREETS, 3 MINUTES from TRAM, BEACH, and ESPLANADE.
GRAND VIEW OF THE BAY.
One of the CHOICEST PROPERTIES in PRETTY, HEALTHY and POPULAR COOGEE.
TORRENS TITLE.
Plans forwarded on application.
AUCTION SALE, on the GROUND, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21.
F. W. H. PEARCE, Auctioneer, Randwick.

WEDNESDAY, 21st January, at 2.30 p.m.
Important Sale of VALUABLE MACHINERY.
To Machinery Brokers, Sawmill Owners, Dealers, Produce Merchants.
J. G. FLEMING and SON have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, 465 Harris-street, Ultimo,
1 portable 8 h.p. STEAM-ENGINE, by MARSHALL and SONS, with shafts and chimney-stack complete, almost new, in splendid running order
60ft. iron chimney stack, under cover, in good condition
25ft. 2½" steel mill shafting, patent joints, four best patent adjustable bearings, and six pulleys
Lot of spare pulleys
1 "Bunsie" 3-knife CHAFF-CUTTING MACHINE, wheel and belting complete, and lot of spare knives
60ft. CHAFF ELEVATOR, box, belting, and pulleys complete, and large mixing bin
Large grindstone in frame, with pulley and shaft
Patent 1 TON WINCH
10,000 bricks, under cover
Lot ENGINE and other TOOLS
Bench with vyce
Large lot of galvanised iron, new, oregon timber
1 Bencle's BAGGING MACHINE, with alarm complete
1 CORN CRUSHER and sheller
1 OAT CRUSHER
Superior patent 60ft. ELEVATOR, belting and cups, complete
1 corn cleaning and sorting machine, having 3 distinct deliveries, the only one of this unique design in N. S. Wales
1 half-ton Avery's PLATFORM BAG SCALE, new
50 bags oat hulls
11 driving belts
1 BUNCLE RIDDLE, with hangers, sprays, driving pulleys, shafting, and bearing, complete
3 large corn bins, iron safe, office furniture, cedar enclosure, and fittings
Lots of useful sundries.
, The above will be sold in LOTS to SUIT BUYERS.
The Auctioneers have much pleasure in stating that the whole of the above first-class machinery is almost new, and in thorough working order, having been in use for a very short period, and can be confidently recommended—certificate supplied by competent engineers.
NOTE.—Premises 465 Harris-street, Ultimo, will be open for inspection TUESDAY, 20th, to allow intending purchasers to inspect, and on the morning of sale the engine and all the machinery will be running.
Further information apply to J. GIDLEY FLEMING and SONS, Auctioneers, 343 Pitt-street.
OUTDOOR SALES WELL CONDUCTED.

THIS DAY.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES of the FAMOUS BERKELEY ESTATE, ILLAWARRA.
Portions of this WELL-KNOWN and VALUABLE AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY, comprising FARM BLOCKS of DIFFERENT DIMENSIONS and TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS at UNANDERRA, will be offered at auction, at the TOWN HALL, WOLLONGONG, by
BATT, RODD, and PURVES (in conjunction with D. L. DYMOCK, of KIAMA), THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 17th JANUARY, at 2.30 p.m.
The BERKELEY ESTATE comprises some of the RICHEST AGRICULTURAL and PASTORAL LAND in the FAR-FAMED ILLAWARRA DISTRICT, having been picked out in the early days, and the RICHNESS of the SOIL for AGRICULTURAL PURSUITS has been ADDED TO year by year on account of the almost EXCLUSIVE USE of the LAND for DAIRY PURPOSES. The MILK alone from the District is KNOWN throughout the colony for its RICHNESS, and the BUTTER is FAMOUS throughout the WORLD.
THE BERKELEY ESTATE is situate only about THREE MILES south of WOLLONGONG, with the RAILWAY LINE from SYDNEY to KIAMA passing through portions of it, UNANDERRA STATION being about the centre of the estate.
14 FARM BLOCKS and 30 TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS will be offered for auction sale on the above date, the allotments having frontages to FIVE ISLANDS-ROAD, and MAIN SOUTH COAST ROAD, RIGHT AT UNANDERRA STATION, adjacent to the PUBLIC SCHOOL, MUNICIPAL CHAMBERS, POST-OFFICE, and other public buildings at UNANDERRA.
TITLE, CROWN GRANT.
TERMS VERY LIBERAL, viz.: For the BLOCKS, 20 per cent. deposit, payable 10 PER CENT. on the fall of the hammer, and 10 PER CENT. in THREE MONTHS, WITHOUT INTEREST; the BALANCE may, if required by the purchaser, REMAIN secured on the property for a period of FIVE YEARS, bearing interest in the meantime at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly. For the ALLOTMENTS, 25 per cent. deposit, and the balance by three yearly instalments, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.
Solicitors to the Estate, Messrs. FISHER, RALFE, and SALWEY, of King-street, Sydney.
NOTE.—The TRAIN leaves REDFERN at 9.10 a.m.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN A DECEASED ESTATE.
BALMAIN. JOHNSTON'S BAY.
DEEP-WATER FRONTAGE. DEEP-WATER FRONTAGE.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street,
NEXT TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m.,
A VALUABLE BLOCK of WATER-FRONTAGE LAND, in area about 2¼ ACRES, having about 300ft. frontage to ADOLPHUS-STREET, about 460ft. frontage to GRAFTON-STREET, and a LARGE FRONTAGE to the WATERS of DARLING HARBOUR or JOHNSTON'S BAY.
THIS PROPERTY is situate in the MIDST of the SHIPPING TRADE, immediately OPPOSITE the OBSERVATORY and WHARFS on the EASTERN SHORES of DARLING HARBOUR, eminently adapted for the ERECTION of FACTORIES, STORES, DOCKS, WHARFS, &c., and for subdivision into building allotments the property offers many advantages.
PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.
Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and SON are the vendors' solicitors, from whom all particulars as to title may be obtained.

BY ORDER of E. M. STEPHEN, Esq., Official Assignee in the BANKRUPT ESTATE of E. G. TAYLOR.
WIGRAM and ROSS STREETS, GLEBE.
Within A MINUTE of the FOREST LODGE TRAM TERMINUS and IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE the LILLIE BRIDGE ATHLETIC GROUNDS and RACECOURSE.
THE LILLIE BRIDGE HOTEL
An IMPOSING STRUCTURE, three stories high, built substantially of BRICK on STONE, SLATE ROOF. The ACCOMMODATION comprises 32 APARTMENTS, including a GOOD BAR, Parlours, &c. There is also SPLENDID CELLARAGE, and BALCONY round TWO SIDES. OUTSIDE is STABLING, COACHHOUSE, and the usual OUTOFFICES.
THE LAND has 66 feet Frontage to WIGRAM-STREET, by a depth which is also FRONTAGE to ROSS-STREET of 117 feet, with a good LANE at rear.
THE POSITION for an HOTEL is VERY ADVANTAGEOUS. The LILLIE BRIDGE GROUNDS being JUST OPPOSITE renders the BUSINESS a VERY LUCRATIVE ONE. The TRAM TERMINUS is ALMOST at the DOOR, and WIGRAM and ROSS STREETS carry the WHOLE of the TRAFFIC of that portion of the GLEBE, now becoming VERY THICKLY POPULATED.
The present occupier holds a lease for 10 years, from July, 1888, at a weekly rental of £8.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m., THE LILLIE BRIDGE HOTEL, at the CORNER of WIGRAM and ROSS STREETS, GLEBE.
TERMS AT SALE.

MARRICKVILLE, VICTORIA-ROAD.
A TERRACE of 4 SUBSTANTIALLY-BUILT COTTAGES of brick, each containing hall, 3 rooms, bathroom, washhouse with copper, pantry, &c., every convenience. CITY WATER and GAS THROUGHOUT.
The LAND has a frontage to VICTORIA-ROAD (Tram Line), of 132ft. by the very EXTREME DEPTH of 180ft., and is laid out in front with flower gardens, &c.
VICTORIA-ROAD is the MARRICKVILLE HIGH ROAD, lately ballasted with blue metal, and is now a first-class THOROUGHFARE. This PROPERTY is a good one, and always commands RESPONSIBLE TENANTS at GOOD RENTALS.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above, by public auction at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

BY ORDER of the Attorney in a DECEASED ESTATE.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
LINDFIELD, NORTH SHORE RAILWAY.
GORDON PARK ESTATE.
Lots 13 and 14, Sec. 1, and Lot 6, Sec. 2. The FORMER making a COMPACT BLOCK of 2a. 1r. 25½p., fronting GLADSTONE-PARADE, just off the LANE COVE-ROAD. The latter is IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE, and contains an area of 1a. 0r. 27½p., also fronting GLADSTONE-PARADE. TORRENS TITLE.
LINDFIELD STATION is within 3 MINUTES' WALK of THIS LAND, which occupies an ADMIRABLY ELEVATED POSITION, commanding EXTENSIVE VIEWS.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 PITT-STREET, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m.
Messrs. JOHN DAWSON and SON, Solicitors for the Vendor.

An UNDIVIDED ONE-THIRD INTEREST in Valuable Property, SURRY HILLS.
By order of E. M. Stephen, Esq., Official Assignee in the Bankrupt Estate of S. N. Brown.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-mentioned interest in the administration of the late Mrs. Mary M'Carthy, in and to 3 houses erected on land having frontage of about 60ft. to Raper-street; and to a house and land having frontage of about 20ft. to Dowling-street, by depth of about 100ft. along Bennett-street.
TITLE TORRENS ACT. TERMS, CASH.

MANGROVE CREEK, HAWKESBURY RIVER.
BY ORDER of E. M. STEPHEN, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in the BANKRUPT ESTATE of ALBERT CHAPMAN.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will offer by public auction, at the ROOMS, 88 PITT-STREET, NEXT TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, at 11.30 a.m.
ALLOTMENTS IN RUGBY TOWNSHIP, being Nos. 11 to 15, 73 to 77, 88 to 92, 113 to 114, 106 to 109, IN AREA 1 ACRE 1 ROOD 9½ PERCHES.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
BY ORDER of E. M. STEPHEN, Esq., Official Assignee in the BANKRUPT ESTATE of A. Carlisle.
ROCKDALE—CAMERON-STREET.
Two valuable allotments, each 40 x 132, situate about 3 minutes' walk from the station, being lots 31 and 32, sec. 11, of the Rockdale Estate.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, next TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m.
The Auctioneers invite the attention of persons of small means to this sale, the RESERVE PRICE being extremely LOW.
PLAN on VIEW.

PADDINGTON.
KNIGHTLY-TERRACE, Nos. 2, 4, 6, and 8 Olive-street, FOUR DWELLING-HOUSES, substantially built of brick on stone, slate roofs, each containing 3 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, verandah and balcony in front, gas and city water laid on, connected with sewer.
LAND 57ft. 8in. frontage, by depth of 77ft. to right-of-way at rear.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above conveniently-arranged TERRACE PROPERTY, pleasantly situated within two minutes' walk of 'bus and tram, and occupied by responsible tenants at reduced rentals totalling £187 4s per annum.
TITLE, FREEHOLD. TERMS AT SALE.

BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late WILLIAM BRETT.
TO BUILDING SOCIETIES, TRUSTEES, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.
CONCORD.—Very Valuable BLOCK of Land, in area about 7 acres 3 roods, having LARGE FRONTAGES to both the WHARF-ROAD and BROUGHTON-STREET, by a depth of about 550ft.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES are instructed to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 3rd FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-described valuable block of land, situate at CONCORD, within easy access of BURWOOD STATION, enjoying the advantage of large FRONTAGES to both WHARF-ROAD and BROUGHTON-STREET, and commanding lovely views over HEN AND CHICKEN BAY and the WATERS of the PARRAMATTA RIVER, and but a short distance from the GOVERNMENT RESERVE.
THE LAND is fenced and cleared, and is specially suitable for subdivision purposes.
TITLE, Freehold; particulars of which may be obtained on application to the Estate Solicitor, T. B. ROLIN, Esq., Eldon-chambers, Pitt-street.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m., the following valuable properties.
BALMAIN. VALUABLE WATER FRONTAGE BLOCK, in area about 2 ACRES, fronting ADOLPHUS-STREET, GRAFTON-STREET, and the WATERS of JOHNSTON'S BAY.
GLEBE. Bankrupt Estate. WIGRAM and ROSS STREETS, THE LILLIE BRIDGE HOTEL, containing 32 ROOMS, coachhouse, stabling, &c.; land, 66 x 117, lane at rear. OPPOSITE the LILLIE BRIDGE GROUNDS, and close to the TRAM TERMINUS.
MARRICKVILLE. VICTORIA-ROAD, 4 SUBSTANTIALLY-BUILT COTTAGES, each containing hall, 3 rooms, and offices; land, 132 x 180, tram passes the property.
LINDFIELD, North Shore Railway. GORDON PARK ESTATE.—Lots 13 and 14, sec. 1, in area 2a. 1r. 25½p.; lot 6, sec. 1, in area 1a. 0r. 27½p., fronting GLADSTONE-PARADE, just off the LANE COVE-ROAD.
BALMAIN. ELLIOTT and TERRY STREETS, valuable CORNER BLOCK, having 43ft. 7in. to ELLIOTT-STREET, and 150ft. to TERRY-STREET. Title, Torrens Act.
INTEREST. Bankrupt Estate. An UNDIVIDED ONE-THIRD INTEREST in and to 3 Houses, RAPER-STREET, and 1 House, DOWLING and BENNETT STREETS.
ROCKDALE. Bankrupt Estate. CAMERON-STREET, 2 allotments, each 40 x 132, being lots 31 and 32, sec. 11, of the ROCKDALE ESTATE.
MANGROVE CREEK. Bankrupt Estate. HAWKESBURY RIVER, RUGBY TOWNSHIP.—Lots 11 to 15, 73 to 77, 88 to 92, 106 to 109, 113 to 114, sec. 1, in area 1a. 1r. 9½p.
For further particulars see extended advertisements.

BALMAIN.
A CAPITAL CORNER POSITION, having frontage of 43ft. 7in. to ELLIOTT-STREET, and 150ft. 10in. to TERRY-STREET, being lot 34, sec. 1, Roseville Estate.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES are instructed to submit by public auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, next TUESDAY, January 20, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above charming building site, suitable for erection of family hotel, or first class villa, occupying an elevated position, commanding lovely views over land and water.
TITLE, Torrens Act. TERMS at Sale.

PRELIMINARY.
BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES in the BANKRUPT ESTATE of W. WILEY.
SOUTH WATERLOO, WELLINGTON ESTATE.
PICKED SITES in this Estate, having FRONTAGES to WELLESLEY, Napoleon, CHARLES, Meridian, Tilsit, Ney, BLUCHER, Brussels, and BONAPARTE STREETS.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above, ON THE GROUND, ON AN EARLY DATE.
TERMS EASY. TITLE, TORRENS ACT. SMALL DEPOSITS. MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late Rev. G. F. MACARTHUR.
WYANDRA, ASHFIELD.
DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE and GROUNDS.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES are instructed to sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, 88 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, the 3rd MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
THE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, known as WYANDRA, distant within 2 minutes' walk of ASHFIELD STATION.
THE LAND has the exceptionally large FRONTAGE of about 490ft. to Elizabeth-street, by depth abutting on the railway land.
THE GROUNDS are tastefully laid out in lawn, fernery, shrubberies, tennis lawn, &c.
THE HOUSE, a 2-story building, is of brick on stone, with slate roof, containing on GROUND FLOOR entrance hall, drawing-room 25 x 18, dining-room, study, lobby, pantry, and store rooms, kitchen, laundry, fuel sheds, &c.; ABOVE are 4 bedrooms, lobby, bathroom, 2 other bedrooms, balcony, verandah, &c.
THE OUTBUILDINGS consist of good COACHHOUSE and 2-STALL STABLING, coachman's loft, man's room, &c., of W.B. and iron roof.
CARDS TO VIEW from the AUCTIONEERS at the ROOMS.

PRELIMINARY.
BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late WILLIAM BRETT.
VALUABLE COUNTRY PROPERTIES at RAYMOND TERRACE and COORANBUNG.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES (in conjunction with Brunker and Wolfe) are instructed to PREPARE for SALE on an EARLY DATE.
The FOLLOWING PROPERTIES:—
RAYMOND TERRACE.—HOLLOW TREE FARM, area about 1290 acres of RICH AGRICULTURAL and pastoral LAND in the parishes of Eldon and Stockton, intersected by the MAIN ROAD from HEXHAM to RAYMOND TERRACE and bounded by the HUNTER RIVER.
COORANBUNG, Lake Macquarie.—Campbell's Grant, 1500 acres on Dora Creek, known as [illegible].
Full particulars on application to the Auctioneers.
T. B. ROLIN, Esq., Eldon-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, is solicitor to the Estate, and will furnish information as to title.

IMPORTANT SALE OF FREEHOLD PROPERTIES, situate at NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY, RANDWICK, and COOGEE, comprising COTTAGES and ALLOTMENTS, at the Rooms, HOFFNUNG'S-BUILDINGS, 163 PITT-STREET, TUESDAY, 27th JANUARY, at half-past 11.
CLARKE and M'INTYRE, AUCTIONEERS.
(By Order of the Mortgagee.)
RANDWICK.—Choice Block of Land, at the corner of Belmore-road, Nathan-street, and Little Nathan-street, having a frontage of 88ft. 6in. to Belmore-road by depth of 178ft. to Nathan-street. Only one block from the tramway, a choice building site.
(By Order of the Mortgagee.)
COOGEE.—Lots 5, 6, 20, 21, and 22, section 1, Coogee Bay Estate, also in the same Estate, lots 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, … section 3; lots 16, 17, 18, and 19, section …; section 2; lots 6 and 7, section 5; lots 5, 16, … 37, and 38, section 5; lots 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, … section 6. The allotments have a frontage each of about 33ft., by a depth of 132ft., and situate close to the beach and Recreation Reserve.
(By Order of the Mortgagee.)
RANDWICK.—An Allotment having 37ft. 11in. frontage to Tramway-street, by a depth of 80ft., being in … subdivision plan, near Public School and the new tramline extension.
WILLOUGHBY.—A compact Cottage Property, built of brick, containing 4 rooms, erected on a choice allotment, 66ft. x 165ft., within 3 minutes' walk of Railway Station. The land is partly laid out in a fruit and flower garden. This property is just suitable to a man of small means who requires a home with a fair amount of land. Well worthy of inspection.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Lot 3, section A, Queen's Park Estate, 32ft. 6in. frontage to West-street, … 20, section A, Queen's Park Estate, 31ft. frontage to Chandos-street. Two choice building allotments. Terms, £10 deposit, balance to suit purchaser.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Two-storied W.B. House, on stone foundations, containing 4 rooms, internal walls lath and plaster. Land, 40ft. frontage to … and Eureka streets. 10 minutes from Lavender Bay Ferry. A comfortable home in a cheerful locality.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Miller-street Heights, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, and 10, each lot having a frontage of 33ft. by a depth of 134ft. to a lane. This choice land is situate between Palmer and Raleigh streets, and on the line of the proposed Tramway Extension. 3 minutes' walk from existing tramway. These allotments will be offered separately.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Lots 1 and 2, subdivision of original lot 3, section 34, Town of St. Leonards, 33ft. each frontage to Miller-street, by a depth of 132ft. Two good building sites.
WILLOUGHBY.—Lots 6, 7, and 8, section 2, Cammeray Estate, each allotment having 33ft. frontage to French's-road, by a depth of 132ft. to a 20ft. lane at rear, No. 8 being at the corner of French's-road and Tulloh-street. A choice block for a residence, quiet, and convenient to 'bus, railway, and proposed tramway. Also, in the same estate, lots 15, 16, and 17, section …, each lot having 33ft. frontage to Tulloh-street, by a depth of 132ft. to a 20ft. lane at rear. The allotments to be offered separately.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Part of lot 9, section …, having 40ft. frontage to Miller-street, by a depth of 132ft., situate between the properties of Messrs. … and Richards. A stone's throw from the Reserve, and an eligible building site.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Lot 3, section 3, … Estate, having — feet frontage to West-street, by depth of — feet, adjoining Mr. Williams' (bakery) property. A good position for a shop or store.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—Lots 3 and 4, subdivision of section 31, each having 40ft. frontage to Palmer-street, by a good depth, situate high, commanding a good view, and near the tram.
NORTH (SHORE) SYDNEY.—A choice Acre Block, having 132ft. frontage to Pine-street, by a depth along … street of 330ft., commanding a good view of the bridge now being built across Long Bay. Suitable either for a residence or subdivision.
LEICHHARDT.—Lots 2 and 3, section C, having 33ft. frontage to Lamb-street, by a depth of 160ft. to a lane at rear. This land is close to the Balmain-road, and in a good position.
The above to be sold by CLARKE and M'INTYRE, at their Rooms, Hoffnung's-buildings, 163 Pitt-street, TUESDAY, 27th JANUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

LADIES' GENUINE HAND-MADE UNDERCLOTHING.
BRIDAL TROUSSEAUX.
INFANTS' LAYETTES and HYGIENIC UNDERWEAR.
We send catalogues containing plates, prices, and descriptions post free to all parts of the colony.
DAVID JONES and COMPANY, Ladies' Outfitters, George-street, Sydney.

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Auction Sales.

STERLING SUBURBAN INVESTMENT.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

AVOCA-STREET, RANDWICK,
a few feet south of Allison-road.

TERRACE OF FOUR SHOPS and Dwellings, erected upon LAND having about 66ft. frontage to the west side of this important thoroughfare; the depth is 120ft., extending to a lane.

. Very substantial and commodious premises.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above sterling suburban investment, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisements.
Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN are Solicitors of the Mortgagee. (1459)

HEIGHTS OF PETERSHAM.

One of the best POSITIONS for view, &c, in one or two lots.

LOT 1.

HILL CREST, at attractive VILLA RESIDENCE of brick, cemented, on stone foundation, slate roof, and contains the following accommodation:—
GROUND FLOOR.—Very wide verandah, noble entrance hall, drawing-room, dining-room, parlour, and library; all fine spacious rooms.
FIRST FLOOR.—Balcony and five very large bedrooms, one fitted with bath.
The OFFICES comprise kitchen with gas-cooking range, storeroom and pantry, detached man's room, washhouse, wood and coal shed.
The water supply is abundant.
Gas is laid on throughout the residence, and the fittings will be sold with the property.
The GROUNDS are most delightfully situated on the heights, and have 170ft. frontage to VICTORIA-STREET, with a depth of 185 7-12 ft. along CHESTER-PLACE. They could be beautified to suit the taste of a buyer. The site commands a splendid outlook, and it is close to the residences of Messrs. Jaques, Cape, and others, and opposite the pretty park of the Reservoir.
ELEVATION and SELECT SPOT.
The building could be enlarged to meet the requirements of a family.

LOT 2.

LAND adjoining, having 49ft. frontage to Victoria-street, with a depth of 120ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd JANUARY, at 11 o'clock,
The above residence, Petersham. (1443)

KING-STREET, NEWTOWN.

TWO SHOPS, Nos. 473 and 475 King-street South, on the main road, in a most active position thereon, being the centre of a densely-populated neighbourhood. Tram is being laid past the place, and wood blocks on the road.
The premises are well built of brick, and comprise—one a baker's shop, the other a grocery; the former contains shop, five rooms, kitchen, bathroom, bakehouse, flour store, washhouse, cart and wood sheds, stables, fowlhouse, &c.; the latter shop, four rooms, kitchen, store, stable, and cartshed. The total rental is £169 per annum, partly nett. Good fittings in both go with the property.
Land is 34ft. to King-street, with the great depth of 225ft., widening out to 56ft. at rear. There is a lane along the side, and other rights-of-way to rear.
TITLE, TORRENS.
Commended as an active spot in this thronged district, and should prove a steady investment.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above property, King-street south, Newtown. (1477)

GLADESVILLE.
On the noted Parramatta River.

Two Semi-detached COTTAGES, built of Weatherboards on stone foundations, verandahs front and rear, and each containing 3 rooms, bathroom, and kitchen
Detached COTTAGE, of weatherboards on stone, verandah, 4 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom
In one or two Lots. The Land (part of Lindsay's subdivision) has 102ft. frontage to HOARE-STREET, with a depth of 100ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described Gladesville properties; easily reached by steamer or omnibus. (1471)

BONNY RIGG PARK, LIVERPOOL.

FARM and COTTAGE known as Mr. Kelso's, area 17 acres 3 roods 35½ perches, with large frontages to MARRIOTT-ROAD, WHITTAKER-ROAD, and BROWN-ROAD. It is enclosed with split fence and wire, ample water; two acres are planted with assorted fruit trees, half acre grape vines. All is cleared, and manured for four years, requiring only ploughing to be done preparatory to planting.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by public auction at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
Above [illegible] property, Liverpool. (1461)

ST. PETERS, next NEWTOWN.

1st. CORNER ALLOTMENT, about 33ft. to Cook's River-road by about 90ft. to Bishop-street. On it are erected SHOP and Dwelling and a Cottage of weatherboards.
2nd. ALLOTMENT (at rear of the above), having 33ft. to BISHOP-STREET, depth 99ft. On it is a weatherboard COTTAGE with stables.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, January 23, at 11 o'clock,
The above,
Further particulars of which will appear in future issue.
NOTE.—Tramway to be constructed (at once) along Cook's River-road. (1470)

CAPITAL INVESTMENT.
the Dwellings being new, and one minute from tram at FOREST LODGE.

TERRACE of ELEVEN COTTAGES in CHARLES-STREET, off ROSS-STREET, north of Pyrmont Bridge-road. They are of brick, front cemented, slate and iron roofs, porch entrance in front, and each containing hall, bay window, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washed; city water. The LAND, 100ft. frontage to CHARLES-STREET, with a depth of 90ft. extending to a lane.
. A compact, attractive, recently erected, and neatly finished terrace, almost at Forest Lodge tram terminus.
Rental, £400 per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above good investment, worthy of attention. (1476)

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the Estate late Mr. S. STEPHENS.

SMALL CITY DWELLING,
viz., No. 8 Irving-street, off Abercrombie-street, close to George-street West. It is of brick, and contains 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., sewer.
The LAND has 12ft. 4in. frontage, with a depth of 45½ft. extending to back entrance.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above, handy to George-street West, Tooth's establishment, Railway Station, &c. (1473)

GOODSIR-STREET, BALMAIN.
A convenient part to two ferries, between Evans-street and Crescent-street.

THREE COTTAGES, Nos. 20, 22, 24 Goodsir-street, two are of brick, and one of weatherboards. Could be made a well-paying investment.
TORRENS TITLE. POSITIVE SALE.
By Order of the Mortgagee.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above small cottages, Balmain. (1479)

SPLENDID BLOCK, HURSTVILLE.

One of the very best Situations on the Heights.

LARDNER'S famous paddock, 15 ACRES, with good frontage to FOREST-ROAD, and considerable depth, adjoining the grounds attached to the ROMAN CATHOLIC CONVENT. The aspect is the best, and from the land is commanded a charming panorama of view, making it a desirable block for a number of SUPERIOR VILLAS, or it would
SUBDIVIDE TO ADVANTAGE.
The attractive Cottage Villa of Mr. Fulford, is opposite to it, and inspection of this land is invited, as it is
FOR POSITIVE SALE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
LARDNER'S PADDOCK, Forest-road, Hurstville;
J. H. CLAYTON, Esq., Pitt-street, is Solicitor for vendor, who is determined to part with it. (1480)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

1st. MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS.—Detached Brick COTTAGE, with verandah, and containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, laundry, &c. LAND has 40ft. frontage to GROVE-STREET, off Illawarra-road.
. This property is empty.
2nd. MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS. Brick COTTAGE of 4 rooms, hall, bathroom, pantry, and stone coping, with iron railings, enclosed front verandah. It is occupied by Mr. J. Hocking. The land has 41ft. frontage to Robert-street, off Marrickville-road, west of Illawarra-road, depth 104½ft.
3rd. MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS.—Two brick, semi-detached COTTAGE VILLAS in WARREN-ROAD. Each has bay window, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, and bathroom, &c. The roofs are of slate. Stone coping with iron railing in front. The land has 63ft. frontage, with depth of 120ft.
. These are known as Mr. Griffith's property.
The TITLES to lots 2, 3, and 4, are Torrens Act.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, NO. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above, which are worthy of inspection. (1475)

CUMBERLAND-STREET.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 47 and 47½, north of Argyle-street. They are of brick on stone foundations, iron roofs, and each contains 5 rooms, kitchen, laundry, &c.
RENTAL is per week. Land has about 29ft. 10in. frontage to Cumberland-street; depth, about 56ft. on north side, and 55ft. 3in. on other side; width at rear, about 27ft.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
Above two houses in Cumberland-street, an elevated position, commanding good tenancies. (1465)

ROOTY HILL,
the Noted Orchard and Grape District,

Fast establishing itself as one of the best and most extensive in the county. It has the Woodstock Jam and Fruit-preserving Factory, almost at the border of the undermentioned property.

[illegible] ACRES, in one or more lots, next to Mr. Walter Lamb's Nursery, only 2 miles from railway station. Of this area 15½ ACRES are laid out as orchard from 2½ to 4 years old; and 3½ ACRES are vineyard 3 to 4 years old; the residue is cultivation and grass land.
On it is a capital Cottage of 5 rooms, &c., necessary outbuildings, and wine cellar,
well-known as Mr. R. E. Mawson's,
opposite to Mr. Thackeray's Cottage and Orchard.

In one or more Lots. Torrens' Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above compact property, ROOTY HILL, capable of making a lot of money, as all the best yield is yet to develop from the orchard and vineyard.
The fruits are of mixed sorts, selected from the best varieties. (1450)

By ORDER of the MORTGAGEE.

YULE-STREET, PETERSHAM,
handy to Crystal-street, and only a few minutes' walk from Railway Station.

COTTAGE known as GRINDWALD, well-built of brick on stone, slate roof, has verandah, hall, 3 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. A neat, good conditioned and conveniently situated Cottage Home easy of access. Land is 20ft. x 100ft. There is a side entrance.
TORRENS TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
Cottage, Yule-street, Petersham. (1478)

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
SURRY HILLS.

Two Weatherboard Brick-nogged HOUSES, Nos. 41 and 43 LANSDOWNE-STREET, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washshed. One house has hall.
The land has 33ft. 2½in. frontage to the south side of Lansdowne-street (between High Holborn and Marlborough streets), depth 88ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above, on Surry Hills Heights, between Riley and Crown streets, south of Devonshire-street. Always let. (1482)

PANORAMIC VIEW.

Extending very wide, and in many directions,
RIGHT ON THE HILL.
RESIDENCE and over 5 ACRES,
well known as the property of P. F. Smyth, Esq. It is substantially built of brick on stone, slate roof, has verandahs, balconies, hall, 6 rooms, and bathroom, balcony rooms; detached are kitchen, splendid basement, bedroom. A parapet platform on roof for look-out, commanding a range and variety of charming views that should be seen to be fully appreciated; indeed, they are next to matchless.
Cards to view on application. Only a few minutes walk from Arncliffe station, on the heights just past Highbury Barn. Land is
379½ft. frontage Gannon's Forest-road.
Great depth lines, one of which is along a side street.
A portion could be sold off, and thus lessen the cost of the homestead to a buyer.

By order of the Trustees of the Assigned Estate of P. F. Smyth, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above, occupying a truly magnificent position on the heights, handy to a railway station. (1484)

SYDNEY-STREET, CONCORD.

Close to and in sight of Homebush and Strathfield, not far from either station.
A pleasant situation on a rising slope, near the Parramatta-road at railway crossing.

GAWSWORTH, a Cottage Villa of brick, cemented front, on concrete, slate roof, having verandah, hall, 4 rooms, breakfast, corridor, pantry, servants' room, bathroom, and kitchen. Detached is stabling of one stall and buggy shed.
LAND is 40ft. frontage by 120, going back to lane.
The above is an attractive spot, in a healthy suburb, enjoying quick tram facilities. Owner leaving the colony is the alone reason of sale.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above cottage, near Homebush and Strathfield. (1469)

COOGEE,
overlooking the Bay and Reserves, and at Tram.

ONE-ACRE CORNER BLOCK, having frontage of 264ft. to ARDEN-STREET, and 165ft. to DUDLEY-STREET.
. A beautiful site for a first-class residence, or splendid block for subdividing into villa plots. Inspection invited. Plan of position on view.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The abovedescribed Coogee land.
Terms at sale. (1444)

HOMEBUSH.
A highly-improved, healthy, and quickly-reached Railway Suburb.

Attractive and Comfortable VILLA COTTAGE, at the corner of MEREDITH-STREET and BROUGHTON-ROAD on south side of, and handy to Railway Station. It is built of brick (cemented on front and south side), slate main roof, having tiled verandah in front, hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, servants' room, large covered area to serve as conservatory or playroom, kitchen, and laundry.
The land is a corner, having 67ft. frontage to Meredith-street by a depth along Broughton-road of 200ft.
. An attractive, very desirable, and recently-erected home, in a suburb highly recommended by the medical faculty as healthy, being free from north-east winds.
Torrens' Title. Possession on month's notice.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
(1474)

SMALL HOUSES, MARRICKVILLE.

NINE BRICK HOUSES, GARDEN-STREET, close to railway station and Sydenham-road East, have verandah and balcony, 4 rooms and kitchen. Adjoining is a Cottage, also of brick, having 4 rooms and washshed. Land, 152ft. frontage, by a depth on one side of 213ft., and on the other side of 100ft.
Position is handy to city by train, and convenient to industries in the district.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
The above houses, Marrickville.

ELSWICK-STREET, LEICHHARDT.

1. SHOP and DWELLING, at corner of CARY-STREET, built of brick on stone; it contains shop, 3 rooms, kitchen; land, 15ft. 2in. frontage Elswick-street, by 100ft. to Cary-street.

ELSWICK and CARY STREETS.

2. CORNER ALLOTMENT, opposite above, 51 feet 11 inches frontage by 109 feet.
These are in a healthy, populous suburb, and around the shop is a dense settlement; to reward a pushing man with active trade.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd January, at 11 o'clock,
Above properties, Leichhardt. Torrens title. (1481)

SURRY HILLS PROPERTIES.

By order of the Trustees of the Estate late Mr. Ed. TURNER.

LOT 1—ALEXANDER-STREET, off Collins-street. Allotment of LAND, about 27ft. frontage, with a depth of 44ft. along a lane. On it are erected of brick one stone foundations two HOUSES, Nos. 5 and 7, Alexander-street, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom.
LOT 2—COLLINS-STREET, Surry Hills. TWO GOOD DWELLING-HOUSES, Nos. 47 and 49, well built of brick on stone, each having verandah and balcony, hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washshed.
LOT 3—COLLINS and ALEXANDER STREETS, capital corner, 45ft. frontage to Cooper-street, depth 68ft. to Alexander-street. It is fenced in, and on it are workshop and other sheds.
LOT 4—LAND, about 21ft. frontage to LITTLE ARTHUR-STREET, with a depth of about 64ft. On it is erected No. 30, of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom, washshed at rear.
These all are in a populous part of the favourite division of Surry Hills, between Crown and Bourke streets, handy to the tram route and the large attractive public recreation parks.
LOT 5—CROWN-STREET, opposite Reservoir. Allotment, having 18ft. frontage, with a depth of about 96ft., extending back to Little Bloomfield-street. On it is cottage No. 334 Crown-street, of weatherboards, verandah, 4 rooms, and kitchen, at rear is No. 11, of brick, having 3 rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, January 30, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-situated freeholds at Surry Hills.
W. F. BRENNAN, Esq., Mercantile Mutual-chambers, Pitt-street, is solicitor of the estate. (1422)

SNAILS BAY HEIGHTS,
within 4 minutes of Mort's Dock Ferry, and 25 minutes of the General Post Office.

CLIFTON VILLA, a substantial Stone Residence, with slated roof, containing—
ON GROUND FLOOR.
Hall
Drawing and Dining Rooms, each about 18ft. x 18ft., connected by folding doors, and opening on to wide verandahs
Breakfast-room, about 16ft. x 16ft.
Sitting room, about 16ft. x 14ft.
Ball or Billiard Room, about 33ft. x 21ft., chastely built, and with splendid kauri floor
Kitchen, about 16ft. x 14ft., fitted with Slee's range and gas stove
Bathroom and Servant's Room.
ON FIRST FLOOR.
2 large Bedrooms, each about 18ft. x 16ft.
2 ditto ditto, ditto 14ft. x 14ft.
ON SECOND FLOOR.
4 Bedrooms.
The folding doors and all fittings are of cedar. The house is in thorough order, having recently been
RENOVATED THROUGHOUT,
and, being in the occupation of the owner, it has been kept in
FIRST-CLASS CONDITION.
Detached from house is a large room 24ft. x 18ft., originally built for a billiard-room. There is also a stone stable, coachhouse, and hay-loft; yards and paths are all asphalted.
The LAND, which has a frontage of 200ft. to Ballast Point-road, is laid out in neat grass plots and garden. It occupies the highest part over Snails Bay, and commands, even from its ground-floor rooms,
MAGNIFICENT VIEWS
of the Harbour, Sydney, North Shore, and the Parramatta River.
This Property is one of the most comfortable and convenient in the neighbourhood of Sydney. Massive stone walls and wide verandahs provide shelter in winter and coolness in summer.
It offers the best accommodation for a very large family, not only in the way of dwelling-rooms, but in those larger rooms provided for the purposes of amusement, which add so much to the cheerfulness of a residence.
The situation is most healthy; the house is secluded from the traffic of the street, is surrounded by pleasant lawns and gardens, and its view can never be interrupted.
This is an opportunity of securing a home of which the owner will never tire, and to those who have large families, or who for other reasons, require ample accommodation, it offers a chance of obtaining their desire at
AN EXCEEDINGLY MODERATE COST.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited (in conjunction with Thomson Bros.), have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above choice Residence. (1466)

OURIMBAH CREEK.
5 miles from Ourimbah Railway Station.

40-Acre Selection, about 10 acres of which are cleared and partly fenced, about 200 fruit trees (various), most of these bearing. The other improvements consist of house, containing 3 rooms and kitchen, stable, shed, never-failing supply of water.

RICHARDSON and WRELCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1466)

TO-DAY.—Medlow Great Land Sale. Special train 9 a.m. Lunch. R. and W., Ltd. (1466)

POSITIVE SALE
TO CLOSE A TRUST ACCOUNT.

MILLER'S CREEK STATION,
DISTRICT OF LIVERPOOL PLAINS.

Various Blocks of Freehold and Conditional Purchased LANDS, situate on or near MILLER'S CREEK, portions of the above-named Station.

a.	r.	
979	0	Freehold Land
1201	3	Conditional Purchases
1609	0	Government Leasehold Area, more or less
2095	0	Ditto Resumed Area, more or less

Total 5965 3 more or less, of rich fattening Pasture Land, in this Celebrated District
Also, Vendor's Right, Title, and Interest in 160 acres C. P., 19 acres C. P. (on which is a Woolshed), and 1240 acres Conditional Lease, the latter held jointly with the Mercantile Bank of Sydney.
The improvements, homestead, fencing, &c., all of good description are particularised below.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, January 30, 1891, at 11 o'clock,
The above pastoral property.
The Lands are situated in the Liverpool Plains District, about 20 miles distant from the Post-office at Willow Tree, and Railway Station at Doughboy Hollow, and adjoin the well-known Warrah Estate, also Sevil's West M'Donald Creek Run. They contain
5965a. 3r. (more or less)
of Freehold Conditional Purchases, and other descriptions of Land, as above mentioned, all securely enclosed by substantial fencing.
The country is permanently watered by Miller's and Jack's Creeks, and numerous springs.
The improvements comprise a comfortable Homestead, with wide verandah, and containing 9 rooms, large store, &c., and other outbuildings. Woolshed for 14 Shearers, and Wool Store, and Shearers' Huts.
Further particulars will be shortly published.
Plan on View at the Rooms.
Messrs. DEANE and DEANE are Solicitors for the Trustees.
Terms at Sale. (1445)

HORNSBY.
An Elevated and Advancing Suburb.

COTTAGE with ORCHARD, ORANGERY, and BUSH LAND, known as Mr. T. Foster's.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
27-ACRE BLOCK, fronting Peat's Ferry-road and side road. It is enclosed with 3-rail fence, about 8 ACRES are laid out as ORCHARD and ORANGERY. The other improvements consist of COTTAGE of brick, stone foundation, and verandah in front, and containing half-hall, 6 rooms, stable, and cart shed of slabs; plentiful water supply.
. A prettily situated and improved property, close to Hornsby Railway Station, soon to be brought near Sydney by the North Shore line.
Messrs. BILLYARD, ANDREWS, and MOSELY, Castlereagh-street, are Solicitors of owner. (1498)

DENISON-ROAD, DULWICH HILL.

STORE and DWELLING, known as Lewisham Store, containing large shop, 7 rooms, hall, bath, and washhouse; gas and water laid on, stabling sheds at rear, good drainage. Land is 80ft. x 120ft., fronting an active road, a central spot to catch and establish a good trade. Tram terminus is only 200 yards distant, and district is rapidly enlarging.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, January 30, at 11 o'clock,
Above store and dwelling, Dulwich Hill. (1493)

ESTATE OF LATE WILLIAM HAY.

PARRAMATTA.—TWO Cottages of weatherboards, O'Connell-street, each four rooms, RENTAL £1 week; gas and water laid on. Land has 190ft. frontage to O'Connell-street and 70ft. along Airds-street; part of land is vacant, suitable for other cottages.
PROSPECT.—Beautiful Block of Land, 19 ACRES and 20 perches, with good frontage to Western-road, just beyond Church-street, on it are those 3 cottages, two are new, built of w. boards, each 4 rooms and kitchen, rental 15s per week; the other is of slabs (unoccupied). This site commands a full view of the magnificent Reservoir, and is a healthy position for a superior residence, soil is superior for cultivation.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above properties, Parramatta and Prospect. John E. Bowden, Esq., Parramatta, is Solicitor to the Trustees. (1504)

GOLDEN GROVE ESTATE, REDFERN.

CORNER SHOP and Dwelling, CALDER-ROAD and SHEPHERD-STREET.—It is of brick on stone, balcony in front, and containing shop, 3 rooms, kitchen.
Weatherboard HOUSE, on brick piers, verandah and balcony in front, also verandah at rear, and containing 4 rooms.
The Land has 39ft. 8in. to Calder-road and 65½ft. Shepherd-street, width at rear about 50ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above Redfern freehold. (1503)

RANDWICK.

LAND, being Lots 8 and 9, Sec. 3, ETHELSTONE ESTATE, having 80ft. frontage to HENRY-STREET, depth 130ft.
. Off Perouse-street, south of tramline (Randwick to Coogee), and about 6 minutes' walk beyond Captain Cook's Statue.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, January 30, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Plan on view. Torrens title. (1497)

BY ORDER OF ADMINISTRATRIX.

OCEAN VIEW ESTATE, ROCKDALE,
west side of and near Railway.

CORNER SITE, No. 26 of Sec. 10, having 68ft. frontage to HARROW-ROAD, and 210ft. to WASHINGTON-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Plan on view. Torrens title. (1502)

CITY INVESTMENTS.
CHOICE SUBURBAN ALLOTMENTS.

1. PITT-STREET SOUTH.—House, No. 465, faithfully built and in good order, occupied by a good tenant at per week. It is a few doors north of Christ Church, in an active main street. Land, 21ft. 10in. x 98ft. back to a lane.
2. BUCKINGHAM-STREET, near DEVONSHIRE-STREET.—TWO Houses, Nos. 11 and 13, built of brick, each verandah and balcony, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse; one has extra room. Land, 30ft. x 93ft. back to a lane.

GRAND SITES, SUMMER HILL.

3. 100FT. frontage LIVERPOOL-ROAD, depth 200ft. along a reserved passage. The best site (fenced in) obtainable, situated among most superior residences and grounds.
4. 50FT. frontage (fenced in) to Liverpool-road, adjoining the residence of R. W. Robberds, Esq., and opposite that of George M. Laurence, Esq., depth 191ft. along Pembroke-street.
5. 50FT. at rear of last described, viz., 50ft. to Ormonde-street, by 200ft. depth along Pembroke-street (fenced in, &c.).

FLEMINGTON, near STATION.

6. SNUG COTTAGE, of brick, containing verandah, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. LAND is a good block, viz., 108ft. to Victoria-parade, 247½ft. along Hornsby-road, width at rear 206ft.

ASHFIELD.

7. Eight Allotments, in all 198ft. frontage to Church-street, by a depth of 159ft. to Frederick street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th JANUARY, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Plans on view. (1495)

TO BUILDERS,
SPECULATORS, and Others.

LEASE FOR 30 YEARS.

141ft. FRONTAGE TO OXFORD-STREET.

Right in the throng spot of the enormous traffic along this great thoroughfare, a little beyond Victoria and Dowling streets and the Paddington Brewery, and almost opposite Green's-road. The depth is
VERY CONSIDERABLE,
viz., 441ft. to 298ft.
The frontage will be subject to a moderate building covenant, and a part of the inner rear has on it a terrace of
10 BRICK HOUSES,
which could be placed in good order at little expense. Behind this lot is a very
LARGE AREA OF LAND,
suitable for the erection of terraces that would let profitably.
Oxford-street frontage has upon it at present a very old terrace of cottages, and at the rear is Holdsworth's Terrace.
NO BONUS REQUIRED.
30 years' lease.
Rental remains the same throughout the term.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above. A capital chance to lease. (1455)

ORCHARD and COTTAGE,
Gladesville road, Ryde.

Close to the village and church, a corner spot, forming a part of the noted Gladstone Estate.
LAND is 1¼ acre, fronting RYDE-ROAD and Glebe-street. It is highly improved as a mixed orchard and passion vines, yielding a profitable crop of excellent fruits.
The district is elevated, very picturesque, and handy to the city by train or road. Inspection invited. Known as Mrs. E. Parke's.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, January 30, at 11 o'clock,
The above small orchard, &c., Ryde. (1452)

SUPERIOR SUBURBAN RESIDENCE,

surrounded by its own charming Grounds, in a splendid situation at HOMEBUSH.

WAMBIANA, known as formerly the residence of Dr. Jackson, and just vacated by the Hon. H. E. KATER, Esq., M.L.C. It is an attractive two-storied VILLA RESIDENCE, well placed on rising ground near the station; most substantially built of brick, cemented, slate roof, and is undoubtedly a most complete home property. The accommodation is—verandahs, entrance porch, hall, eleven good rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, laundry, and other conveniences. Detached is stabling, coach-house, &c. The grounds are effectively laid out; the border trees are well grown, and, together with lawn, shrubbery, &c., afford delight to the residence. Sanitary arrangements cannot be excelled. Gas and water supply are laid on.

DISTRICT IS HEALTHY.

Vendor being resident in the country is desirous to sell; and the attention of MERCHANTS, RETIRED BUSINESS MEN, SQUATTERS, and others is solicited to this most comfortable SUBURBAN VILLA, so easily connected with the city by frequent and most speedy trains, throughout day and night.
Furniture may be arranged for, or will be sold subsequent to the property.
LAND, about an acre, fronting BURLINGTON-ROAD, and extending by great depth to ABBOTSFORD-ROAD at the rear. Opposite is an Allotment, 100ft. frontage by fair depth, serving for fowlyard, cow paddock, &c.

TORRENS TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th January, at 11 o'clock,
The above superior residence, Homebush. (1488)

TO-DAY.—Medlow Great Land Sale. Special train 9 a.m. Lunch. R. and W., Ltd. (1440)

RAPER-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

TWO HOUSES, No. 6 and 8 RAPER-STREET, off DAVIES-STREET, between CROWN and BOURKE STREETS.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, at 11 o'clock,
The above small investment property at Surry Hills, full particulars of which will shortly be published.
TITLE, TORRENS ACT.
THOMAS READ, Esq., King-street, SOLICITOR for the MORTGAGEE. (1485)

BARGAINS. CLEARING SALE.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES PROPERTY INVESTMENT CO., Limited, IN LIQUIDATION.
FOR POSITIVE SALE,
the Balance of Allotments and Cottage Properties, AUBURN GROVE ESTATE, AUBURN.
Sale on the Ground,
SATURDAY, 31st JANUARY, at 3 p.m.
Lithos preparing. Terms very easy.
(1492) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

GREGANHURST ESTATE, WAVERLEY.

Near Post and Telegraph Office, Bondi Road.

SUBDIVISION SALE,
on the GROUND,
SATURDAY, 31st JANUARY,
at 3 o'clock.

These Allotments are very eligibly situated in this enlarging picturesque district, so easily accessible by tram, a stopping-place of which is quite close.
TITLE is TORRENS' ACT.
TERMS are wonderfully easy, viz.:—£10 per lot deposit; balance over 5 years at six per cent. interest; or can be spread over 10 years at seven per cent. interest per annum.
2½ per cent. Discount for Cash.
BONDI BEACH and PARK are Handy.
LITHOGRAPHS PREPARING.
(1451) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
By Order of TRUSTEES of the Assigned Estate of the late Mr. ALFRED BUIST.

NORTH HARBOUR, PARISH OF MANLY.

2 acres 2 roods and 33 perches, having 398ft. frontage to WOOD-STREET, with a depth of 297ft. along New-street.
. This good block is a little distant south of the main road from the SPIT to MANLY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,
The above corner grant, village of Balgowlah, Manly.
Plan on view. (1506)

CHARMING ROSE BAY.

1.—MIRAMAR, late FLORENCEVILLE, a delightful Residence, New South Head-road, extending to Reserve, facing the beautiful bay.
2.—TWO NEW Superior Dwelling-houses, on the same road, opposite the entrance gates to mansion of — Bennett, Esq. The views from these are simply enchanting.
3.— WENTWORTH FALLS,
a most attractive mountain resort.
Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, Village of BRASFORT, a capital site near road to Falls, in Wilson and Backhouse streets.
4.— LONG BAY-ROAD,
near Maroubra Bay, beyond Randwick.
Portions of the first subdivisions of Church and School Lands, viz.:—
LOT 10, FOUR ACRES
LOT 1, TWO ACRES.
Leasehold, about 90 years yet to run at small ground rental.
5.— SOUTH SCARBOROUGH.
Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 24, 25, 26, 27, section 2, fronting Esplanade and Alfred-street; area 2 acres 2 roods, 2 perches.
A PRETTY SEASIDE SPOT.
Preliminary Notice.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1511)

IN THE ESTATE LATE Mr. GEORGE GREEN.

NEWTOWN FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.

1st.—KING-STREET WEST and HOLT-STREET, corner premises, leased by THE UNION BANK, at £1 10s per week nett.
They are of brick, cemented front, stone foundation, awning and balcony in front, and containing private entrance, 6 apartments, kitchen, pantry, wash-shed, back verandah shed, bakehouse with flour loft, stable and buggy shed.
The Land has frontage of 21½ft. to KING STREET WEST, 232ft. to Holt-street, and 21½ft. to Station-street.
. A splendid business position, surrounded by a large population.
2nd.—COLLEGE and KENT STREETS.—Corner vacant Site, having 34ft. to College-street, and 100ft. to Kent-street
. Level land, suitable for cottage or two houses.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above centrally-situated properties, in populous Newtown.
TITLES, TORRENS' ACT. THOS. READ, Esq., King-street, is solicitor of the Estate. (1496)

TO SPECULATIVE BUILDERS,
INVESTORS,
CAPITALISTS, and BUILDING SOCIETIES.

99ft. to MOREHEAD-STREET
99ft. to YOUNG-STREET.
depth right through is 221ft.,
in the
CENTRE OF REDFERN;
a really good letting position.

This Land is worthy of attention, being a capital chance for placing terraces on it to command constant good rentals.
LEASE for 73 YEARS to run,
at the very small ground rental of £20 per annum.
On it at present are Cottages No. 111 Morehead-street and two at rear in Young-street, together with excellent range of stabling.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above Redfern lot; recommended. (1509)

DARLING POINT,
the Choicest Suburb of our City, and noted for its Mansion and Grounds,
Views, &c.

By order of the TRUSTEES of the Estate of the late Mrs. VON ARNHEIM.

SILBERSTEIN HOUSE and GROUNDS
at the junction of
YARRANABEE and GOONIERA ROADS,
overlooking Rushcutter Bay, the Reserve, and Elizabeth Point.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned detached villa residence, which is built of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, and containing hall, 8 rooms, pantry, two bathrooms, kitchen, servants' bedroom, laundry, larder, store, water and gas laid on.
The grounds are prettily laid out in terraces, with winding paths leading to the Yarranabee road, which skirts the Government Reserve at Rushcutter Bay.
The frontages of the land are—About 224ft. to GOONIERA-ROAD, and 228ft. to YARRANABEE-ROAD.
. A choice position on famous Darling Point. The residence is substantial, and in good order. Immediate possession. CARDS to view at our Rooms.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.
Messrs. COPE and KING are solicitors of the estate. (1472)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE LATE Mr. JAS. SHERIDAN.

EVELEIGH-STREET, REDFERN,
close to Government Workshops.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
Allotment, 14ft. 3in. frontage to Eveleigh-street, depth 81ft., extending to lane to which the frontage is 20ft. 8in. On it is erected ATHBAY HOUSE, No. 78 (formerly 84) Eveleigh-street, of brick, stone foundation, slate roof, verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom.
. A convenient position, being handy to Government Workshops at Eveleigh, where important improvements are being made. (1499)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

QUEEN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA.

BLOCK OF PROPERTY, consisting of MYRA COTTAGE, No. 134 Queen-street.
RAILFORD, EGFORD, and ROSELYN, 3 Houses, Nos. 136 to 140 Queen-street
TWO COTTAGES and WORKSHOP, in Peaker-lane, at rear.
Leasehold, 65 years to run, at £10 per annum.
THE LAND has 87½ft. frontage to north side of Queen-street, a few feet west of Denison-street; depth, 100ft., extending to Peaker-lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. Rental, £296 per annum.
Messrs. DAWSON and SON, Pitt-street, are Solicitors of Mortgagee.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

CHIPPENDALE PROPERTIES.

ABERCROMBIE-STREET, near MIDDLE-STREET.

CLEVELAND and MIDDLE STREETS,

Well known as the Properties of the late Hon. John Sutherland.

1. ABERCROMBIE-STREET.—Substantial Cottage of brick, having wide verandah on three sides, hall, 6 main rooms, bathroom, breakfast-room, kitchen, laundry, servant's room, storerooms, &c., detached sheds. The FRONTAGE is 30ft. 2in. to street by depth of 158ft. 7in., and has a great width at rear of 122ft. 5in., on which line Little Queen-street abuts; the other lines are a little irregular, but the whole block has a LARGE AREA, and capable of many good uses, either as a whole, or the rear part could subdivide.
2. DICK-STREET.—Allotment, 16ft. 8in. frontage by 50ft. depth, abutting on part of lot 1.
3. QUEEN-STREET.—Allotment, 25ft. frontage by depth of 46ft. 5in., on which are stabling premises. This adjoins the City Mission Hall.
4. CLEVELAND and MIDDLE STREETS.—Corner Block Land, 80ft. frontage to the former, 70ft. to the latter. On it is Cottage No. 211 Cleveland-street and No. 83 Middle-street, also old building at the corner.
. The above occupy a most central position in this active, populous district, and the large lots are worthy the consideration of capitalists, speculators, and others, as affording the chance of acquiring properties to enhance in value.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Particulars of title on application to Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and SON, Solicitors for the Mortgagees. (1500)

WAVERLEY.

At Former Tram Terminus.

To Capitalists, Builders, and Others.

SPLENDID CORNER BLOCK of LAND, in all 100ft. 9in. frontage to LEICHHARDT-STREET, the MAIN BUSINESS CENTRE of this portion of Waverley. Torrens' Act.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above, well worthy the attention of those seeking a valuable and central block of suburban land upon which to erect a terrace of shops. (1500)

1, UPPER BANKSTOWN.

36 ACRES 3 ROODS, or thereabouts, part of grant of 616 acres to J. L. Spencer. It has 18½ chains frontage to main LIVERPOOL-ROAD, by a depth of 36½ chains to a RESERVED road running therefrom. This district is advancing, and future railway route may serve it well.

2, WOLLONGONG.

EIGHT ACRES of Land, a beautiful block on SMITH'S HILL,
recommended as a splendid Residential Site, near to the home of Mr. Wiseman. It is Lots 1 to 8 of section 3 of old subdivision of Chas. T. Smith's 300 acres grant, and the frontages are to
KEIRA and EDWARD STREETS,
CHURCH and BOURKE STREETS.
Wollongong District is noted for salubrity of climate.

By order of the Mortgagee.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1510)

STANMORE, NEAR STATION.

ATTRACTIVE VILLA RESIDENCE,
fronting Trafalgar-terrace, in a select situation facing the railway and commanding a pretty view, embracing a wide extent. It is faithfully and well built of brick on stone, slate roof, has tiled entrance walk, porch, and hall, drawing and dining rooms, pantry, five bedrooms, linen press, servant's room, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, and fuel-house. There are front, side, and rear balcony and balconette, rear verandah; frontage to street is enclosed with iron railing on stone dwarf wall.
A good residence in a select suburb, having full railway facilities, and it is most comfortable in its arrangements, besides being well finished.
Owner removing to country is the sole cause of the sale.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above first-class villa residence. (1507)

HOLMWOOD ESTATE, NEWTOWN.

One of the best properties in the district in subdivision form.

TRAIN PAST THE ESTATE.
WOOD-BLOCKING PROCEEDING.

TO BUILDERS,
RESIDENCE SITE SEEKERS,
SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE,
By Order of the Trustees of the Holmwood Estate.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
The balance of this valuable Estate will be offered for auction
AT THE ROOMS,
MONDAY, 9th FEBRUARY Next,
at 11 o'clock.
LITHOGRAPHS preparing.
TERMS will be LIBERAL.
TORRENS TITLE.
(1483) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

TO IRONFOUNDERS, ENGINEERS, MACHINISTS, AND OTHERS.

Those centrally-situated and commodious PREMISES, having large moulding, fitting, smiths', and other shops, an area of nearly 2 acres, extending from Alice to Laura streets, Newtown, close to St. Peters, the centre of the great brick industry.
This property is admirably adapted for carrying on the above trades or the manufacture of railway rolling stock.
THE LAND IS OF LARGE EXTENT,
198 feet to ALICE-STREET,
198 feet to LAURA-STREET,
depth through is 404 feet.
A great part of it could be sold off to each street for the erection of houses or other purposes, and an ample portion then be left with the present works.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th February, at 11 o'clock,
The above, well known as formerly Fletcher's foundry. (1483)

SPLENDID CITY PROPERTY.

ELIZABETH and CASTLEREAGH STREETS,
opposite Hyde Park,
a few doors North of Park-street,
and adjoining the consulting rooms of Dr. Bowker, Dr. Quaife, and others.
On the land is No. 193 Elizabeth-street, and Nos. 172 and 174 Castlereagh-street.
LAND, 21ft. frontage to each street, depth through 160ft.
By order of the Trustees of late Mrs. SOPHIA FLOOD,
for
whom Mr. Charles Bull, of Barrister's Court, Elizabeth-street, is Solicitor.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th MARCH, at 11 o'clock,
The above excellent city property. (1490)

ESTATE OF LATE MR. J. KILEY.

NORTH ANNANDALE,
the best corner
JOHNSTON and BOOTH STREETS,
opposite Kiley's Hotel.

1.—CORNER LOT, 66ft. to JOHNSTON-STREET, depth 142ft. along BOOTH-STREET
2.—CORNER LOT, 66ft. JOHNSTON-STREET, depth 142ft. along BOOTH-STREET
3.—CORNER. Butcher's SHOP and Dwelling, 100ft. JOHNSTON-STREET, depth 80ft. along BOOTH-STREET. It is built of brick, on stone foundation, slate roof balcony in front, and containing private entrance, 8 apartments, kitchen, back balcony with bath therein, salting-room, stable, and hayloft.
4.—THREE COTTAGES, VIEW-STREET, built of brick, cemented on stone foundation, slate and iron roof, verandahs in front, and each containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse.
. A few feet from COLLINS-STREET.
ALFRED SHAW, Esq., Solicitor, Pitt-street, acts for the Administratrix of the Estate.
TORRENS TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, No. 98 Pitt-street, in JANUARY, date to be announced,
The above properties at Annandale. (1436)

CANNONBAR and MERYULA STATIONS,
with about 300,000 sheep.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
AT SYDNEY, 30th JANUARY, 1891.

GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Limited, have been instructed by Wm. Alison, Esq., and the Executors and Trustees under the Will of the late Wm. Alison, Sen., Esq., to sell by auction at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 30th JANUARY, 1891, at 3 o'clock, p.m., the
CANNONBAR
and
MERYULA STATIONS,
situated in the Central and Western pastoral divisions of New South Wales, in the land districts of Nyngan and Cobar respectively, and containing a total estimated area of 1,100,000 ACRES, including
35,750 acres, more or less, freehold land
5,180 acres, more or less, conditional purchases
4,717 acres, more or less, conditional leases
3,840 acres, annual lease
965,519 acres, more or less, Crown lands,
together with
About 300,000, more or less, sheep
Cattle
Horses.

On Cannonbar are running—
115,199 ewes, more or less
25,390 wethers, more or less
68,300 mixed hoggets, more or less
2,216 rams, more or less
Total... 211,105 more or less
394 cattle, more or less
300 horses, more or less.
And
On Meryula are running—
33,191 ewes, more or less
78,140 wethers, more or less
19,937 hoggets, mixed, more or less
733 rams, more or less
Total... 72,[illegible] more or less
[illegible] cattle, more or less
[illegible] horses, more or less.

CANNONBAR consists of myall saltbush, and box flats with occasional buddha ridges, and has a double frontage of 20 miles to the Bogan River, 10 miles to the Duck Creek, 10 miles double frontage to the Gunningbar, and 62 miles to various other creeks with large natural waterholes, in addition to which it is considered ample provision for dry seasons has been made by the making of about 30 dams and tanks on various parts of the run.
This Run is divided into 30 sheep paddocks, besides other small paddocks.
The Head Station is about six miles from Nyngan Railway Station.
The improvements consist of 2 Woolsheds, one fitted with Wolseley Machines for 50 shearers, and the other fitted up for 40 shearers, Homestead, Garden, &c., Manager's House, Workshops, Stables, Store, Men's and Shearers' Huts, Engines, Waggons, Ploughs, Scoops, &c., in fact every convenience requisite for the proper working of the station, including a Tramway from woolshed to railway siding for station use.
MERYULA consists of open and well-grassed mulga downs, with emu and cotton bush, and is watered by 38 tanks and dams.
The Run is subdivided into 26 sheep and 5 horse paddocks by substantial 5 and 6 wire fencing, and on the Leasehold Boundary wire-netting fences are being erected (30 miles of which is completed).
The Woolshed is fitted up for 42 shearers, housing room for 3000 sheep, fitted with Williams' Patent Woolpress, wool-room to hold 300 bales, various outstations, comfortable Homestead, Garden, Office and Store, &c.
These splendid holdings are amongst the best known in the colony, and are very highly improved. They are being placed on the market under the provisions of the Will of the late William Alison, Esq., and offer to capitalists an opportunity of investment on a scale not often available.
Plans may be seen and further particulars obtained from the auctioneers,
GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Limited,
Sydney and Melbourne.

VALUABLE CATTLE PROPERTY.

WILKINSON, LAVENDER, and CHAPMAN have been instructed by the Executors of the late Hon. E. Flood to sell by public auction, at the Exchange Rooms, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 4th February, at 12 o'clock noon sharp,
THE YARROW CREEK STATION,
near Glen Innes, consisting of the following lands, viz.:—
About 60,000 acres Crown lands
Ditto 2318 acres freehold lands
Ditto 470 acres C. P. lands
together with about
6700 highly bred Hereford cattle.
The COUNTRY IS FIRST-CLASS, admirably suited for breeding, abundantly watered even in the driest seasons, well and substantially fenced and subdivided into numerous paddocks and otherwise highly improved with good homestead and outbuildings, first-class stockyards and drafting yards, in fact everything necessary for the economic working of the property.
THE HERD CONSISTS of choice Herefords, great care and attention having for many years been paid to its breeding, as the favourable reputation of the FXR cattle amongst fatteners shows.
For further particulars apply to
WILKINSON, LAVENDER, and CHAPMAN,
Sydney, Hay, or Wagga Wagga.

TO-DAY.—Medlow Great Land Sale. Special train 9 a.m. Lunch. R. and W., Ltd. (1466)

To GENTLEMEN desirous of securing a SUPERIOR COUNTRY RESIDENCE, together with healthy, invigorating, and profitable agricultural pursuits.

BOWRAL.
Only three miles from BOWRAL RAILWAY STATION, along Kangaloon-road, to which there is a double frontage.

A MOST COMPACT RESIDENTIAL ESTATE,
known as
MARYVALE,
comprising a FIRST-CLASS FAMILY RESIDENCE,
and
464 ACRES of RICH AGRICULTURAL LAND.

The Grass Lands throw off an abundance of sweet feeding grasses, whilst the arable, easily worked at all seasons, is most prolific.
THE RESIDENCE containing the following accommodation:—HALL 17 x 6, DRAWING-ROOM 22 x 18, DINING-ROOM 18 x 16, both fitted with fireplaces; ATTACHED BREAKFAST ROOM 15 x 13, Wine Closet and Pantry. FIVE GOOD BEDROOMS, Kitchen, Two Servant's Rooms, Scullery, Pantry, Ironing-room and Washhouse; a Verandah entirely surrounds the house. There are TWO OVERSEERS' COTTAGES of 4 rooms. THE FARM BUILDINGS comprise Fine Barn and Sheds, 40 Milking Bails, Brick or asphalt, with Troughs, a 4-stall Stable with Loft over, 3 Loose-boxes and Hayshed; also 2 Trainer's or Harness Rooms; Fowl, Duck, and Pig Houses; Boiling-down, Dairy, Washing-up Room with copper; a capital Well, 60 feet deep, supplied with a never-failing spring; Horseyard, with Bolt for branding cattle or catching colts, &c. There is also a most prolific Orchard, stocked with the choicest of Fruit Trees.
The LAND itself is of the richest possible character; the flats are black soil, over 16 feet in depth, the hills red loam; 200 acres are ready and fit for the plough. The permanent pasture is of the very finest description, and includes a considerable area of highly valuable meadow lands, producing herbage of a rich feeding character, consisting of rye grass, cocksfoot, red and white clover, and trefoil.
There is a never-failing supply of the purest water from a creek never known to stop running, and the water is pumped by a hydraulic ram to supply the bails, stables, kitchen, bathroom, and garden.
For situation, quality of land, and a combination of features essentially necessary to give character and value to a residential property, MARYVALE stands out as offering unusual attractions, and is admitted to be superior to any property of its size in the district.
Take the property as a whole, it very strongly recommends itself as an investment for profitable occupation by a gentleman fond of farming and agricultural pursuits; and as the proposed railway from Bowral to Robertson is expected to pass either through this property or in close proximity, it should make a most valuable Estate for subdivision.

TITLE, TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the owner, T. L. PEATE, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1891,
The above-described
RESIDENTIAL ESTATE,
known as MARYVALE, comprising a family residence and 464 acres of rich LAND, all in a ring fence, situate only 3 miles from Bowral Railway station.

TO BUILDING SOCIETIES, LAND SPECULATORS, BUILDERS, GENTLEMEN with large Families on the look out for a COMMODIOUS RESIDENCE with Spacious Grounds, and Others.

LEICHHARDT—BALMAIN-ROAD,
within 2½ miles of the General Post Office, convenient to tram, 'bus, and ferry, in a very healthy and high situation, commanding extensive views of the city and suburbs.
Nearly (11) ELEVEN ACRES of Exceedingly VALUABLE BUILDING LAND,
together with
A FAMILY RESIDENCE,
known as MAIDA.

The RESIDENCE, occupying an elevated but sheltered position, is well built of brick, and contains the following accommodation:—
On the FIRST FLOOR—Six Bedrooms, Dressing-room, Bathroom, Patent W.C., two Store-rooms, wide Balcony, &c.
On the GROUND FLOOR—Entrance Hall, lofty Drawing and Dining Rooms, Verandahs (9ft wide)
The Domestic Offices comprise Kitchens, Pantry, Larder, Cellar, and Servants' Rooms; also Laundry, Coach-house, Stabling, Harness-room, Man's-room, Fowl-house, &c. Gas and Water are laid on throughout.
The GROUNDS, in all nearly 11 Acres, are most attractive and enjoyable, and are laid out into lawns, Flower Gardens, Shrubberies, Orchard, Kitchen Garden, and Paddocks.

TITLE, TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Richardson and Wrench, Limited) have been favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, January 21, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above-described Residential Estate, known as Maida, Balmain-road, Leichhardt.
This property can be dealt with in more than one way, as at present it offers a most compact residential estate, including a gentleman's comfortable residence, embosomed in most highly attractive pleasure grounds, or could be advantageously subdivided and sold in allotments to great advantage. The tramway extension, in all probability, will pass this property.

VILLA RESIDENCES AND BUILDING SITES.

BOWRAL.

Situate IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE the RAILWAY STATION, in an ELEVATED but SHELTERED POSITION, commanding extensive and varied views in all directions.

TWO HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCES known as FAIRBANK AND FAIRVIEW.
Also,
SUNDRY CHOICE BUILDING SITES
EACH ABOUT ½-ACRE in AREA,
FRONTING MADE ROADS,
and
forming portion of
THE MOUNT ESTATE,
the property of Mr. Randolph Nott.
NEXT to Dr. ASHWELL'S,
and adjoining the well-known OXLEY ESTATE.
FAIRBANK is LET to J. B. CHRISTIAN, Esq., and contains 3 sitting-rooms, 5 bedrooms, and ample kitchen accommodation.
FAIRVIEW is LET to Mrs. GEO. KNOX, contains 3 sitting rooms, 3 bedrooms, domestic offices, &c.
Early possession can be given.
Lithographs of the Estate MAY BE OBTAINED at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

TITLE, TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Mr. R. H. Nott, of Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m.
on
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1891,
The MOUNT ESTATE at BOWRAL, in SUBDIVISION.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE OWNER, JOHN SUTHERLAND, Esq.

MANLY.
THE SANATORIUM FOR SALUBRITY.
within 2 minutes' walk of the Pier, and adjoining the residence of Alex. Dean, Esq.

A COMMANDING and HIGHLY-ATTRACTIVE GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE and GROUNDS,
distinguished as
LEONA,
beautifully situate on THE ESPLANADE WEST, fronting THE RESERVE,
and enjoying magnificent and uninterrupted views of land, sea, and Heads.

THE HOUSE, SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT of STONE upon a rock, stands at an agreeable remove from the road, is a model of arrangement, effect, and excellence of workmanship, no expense being spared to adapt it to a family's requirements, and the ingenuity of a first-rate architect having been taxed to render the domestic, sanitary and general arrangements perfect.
THE AIR OF MANLY is peculiarly dry and bracing, and is strongly recommended by eminent physicians in cases of paralysis, nervous disorders, and incipient lung disease.
THE HOUSE is approached from the road by an easy flight of stone steps, and contains the following admirable and well-arranged accommodation:—
On the FIRST FLOOR—6 PRINCIPAL BEDROOMS and DRESSING-ROOM, all lofty and cheerful, BATHROOM, with fitted bath, hot and cold water, lavatory, and W.C.; Linen-press, BILLIARD-ROOM on half-landing.
On the GROUND FLOOR—SPACIOUS ENTRANCE HALL, an ELEGANT DOUBLE DRAWING-ROOM, richly decorated, and having costly carved mantels
A WELL-PROPORTIONED DINING-ROOM, opening by French casement windows on to verandah
LIBRARY or MORNING ROOM, cedar fittings throughout.
THE DOMESTIC OFFICES are numerous, and very excellent in their arrangement. They comprise—
2 KITCHENS, fitted with 2 ranges and gas stove; SERVANTS' HALL, housemaid's pantry, with sink, hot and cold water laid on; Storeroom, 3 outhouses, washhouse, with copper and range of tubs. There is EXTENSIVE COOL and DRY CELLARAGE.
DETACHED FROM THE MAIN BUILDING, and built of stone, are—
3 SERVANTS' ROOMS, bathroom and storeroom
There are also 3 outdoor W.C.s, and a LARGE ASPHALTED DRYING GROUND.
Tradesman's entrance, PERMANENT WATER SUPPLY, &c.
THE GROUNDS SURROUNDING the HOUSE are VERY TASTEFULLY DISPLAYED in TERRACED LAWNS, planted here and there with flowers and shrubs, THE WHOLE FORMING A MOST PLEASING and HIGHLY-ARTISTIC EFFECT. There is also a Bush-house.
THE LAND has a frontage of 113 FEET to THE ESPLANADE, by a depth of 172 FEET THROUGH TO A STREET, with GOVERNMENT RESERVES in front and at rear.

TITLE, TORRENS.

THIS PROPERTY is in the midst of a well-peopled neighbourhood, numerous important mansions having been erected within a short distance during the past few years, and the salubrity of the atmosphere and the beauty of the surrounding country render it eminently one of a residential character.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Messrs. Newton and Lamb) have received instructions from THE OWNER, JOHN SUTHERLAND, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1891,
The above-described RESIDENCE and GROUNDS at MANLY.
THE FURNITURE may be taken at a valuation.
Terms: ⅓ of the purchase money can remain for 2 years at 5 per cent per annum.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILL OF THE LATE DAVID BERRY, ESQ.

LANE COVE, PARISH OF GORDON.

TO LAND SPECULATORS, A RARE OPPORTUNITY.

A COMPACT BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND,
containing an area
of
40A. 2R. 26¾P.
situate fronting the
LANE COVE-ROAD and another road,
next to the Great Northern Township
and Dr. Moore's property,
and opposite the GREEN GATE HOTEL.
TITLE TORRENS.
Messrs. NORTON and CO.,
Solicitors to the Estate,
O'Connell-street.
Plan on view at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Trustees under the will of the late David Berry, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street,
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21,
The Block of Land as above described.

ELIZABETH BAY.
adjoining the Government Reserve, right at the Bay.
A MOST DELIGHTFUL and INTERESTING WATERSIDE RESIDENCE,
known as
ITHACA,
occupying a beautiful situation, and surrounded by PICTURESQUE and ORNAMENTAL GROUNDS of about ONE ACRE, the whole forming a MOST ENJOYABLE HOME, replete with every improvement and appliance for convenience.
The RESIDENCE, which is most substantially built of stone, and fitted throughout in an elegant manner, contains the following well-arranged accommodation:—ON THE TOP FLOOR, 4 bedrooms opening on to wide verandahs, dressing-room, two bathrooms and w.c. ON THE GROUND FLOOR, approached from the main road by a flight of stone steps under a portico entrance, is a tessellated HALL; a HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM, magnificently decorated, opening by French casement windows on to a broad balcony, whence a vast expanse of panoramic scenery is obtainable, almost unrivalled in beauty, extending in all directions. Adjoining this truly elegant apartment is a pretty CONSERVATORY; there is also a cosy SITTING-ROOM, a bedroom, balconies, and servants' pantry, fitted with shelving, &c., and a linen-room. In the daylight basement is a LARGE DINING-ROOM, opening on to the lawn and grounds. This is a most pleasant room. At a convenient range are kitchen, scullery (with water laid on), 2 pantries, laundry, servants' bedroom, man's bedroom, cellar, &c.
The GROUNDS adjoining the house are exceedingly attractive, and disposed in lawn, shrubberies, winding paths, flower beds, &c.
TITLE—The Macleay Estate, 99 years from 1st September, 1871, subject to ground rent of £20 per annum.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from J. C. Williamson, Esq., on account of his removal to Melbourne, to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, January 21,
The above-described residence and grounds, known as
ITHACA,
at
ELIZABETH BAY.
Inspection only by cards to view, which are obtainable at the Sale Rooms of the Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street.
The Furniture can be taken at a valuation if desired.

POSTPONED UNTIL JANUARY 21.

TO GENTLEMEN FOND of SHOOTING, FISHING, BOATING, and BATHING.

BUNGAREE NORAH,
the property known as Mr. Hargrave's Estate, near WYEE PLATFORM, on the Gosford Line,
containing
1017 ACRES,
Fronting { Munmorah Lake / Tuggerah Beach Lake / And the Ocean.
with Commodious RESIDENCE, Outbuildings, &c.
Well suited for a Gentleman's Country Residence, with large Prospective Value owing to the Coal Deposits.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 21st JANUARY,
the above country estate, which is admirably adapted for a dairying or grazing farm.

PADDINGTON and LEICHHARDT.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

LOT 1.—CAMBRIDGE-STREET, PADDINGTON, close to GURNER-STREET.
Two comfortable DWELLING-HOUSES, known as "Waratah" and "Acacia," Nos. 3 and 5 CAMBRIDGE-STREET, built of brick on stone foundations, with slate roofs, each containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse with copper and bins; let to good tenants at 21s per week each.
The LAND has a frontage of 25ft. by a depth of 111ft. to a lane (20ft. wide) at the rear.
LOT 2.—FLOOD-STREET (late PIPER-STREET), LEICHHARDT.
Allotments 14 and 15, sec. 1, of the Gladstone Estate, having 100ft. frontage by a depth of 132ft. TITLE, Torrens Act.
VENDORS' SOLICITORS: Messrs. Cape, Kent, and Gaden, Pitt and Hunter streets.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
on WEDNESDAY, 28th JANUARY, 1891,
The above-described investments, situate just off Gurner-street, along which the omnibuses run; and allotments in Flood-street, Leichhardt.
Plans on view.

THORPE HOUSE, GLEBE, No. 166 DERWENT-STREET, on the west side, opposite the old Public School and close to St. John's-road.
THE HOUSE contains 14 rooms and kitchen, large yard, &c., and is at present vacant.
THE LAND has 40ft. frontage to Derwent-street by a depth of 120ft. to a lane at rear. TITLE Leasehold, having about 75 years to run at a ground rent of £8 8s 0d per annum.
VENDORS' SOLICITORS:
Messrs. Fisher, Ralfe, and Salwey, over E., S., and A. C. Bank, George-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1891,
The above-described property.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

LANE COVE and PENNANT HILLS.

. TO BUILDING AND LAND COMPANIES, ORCHARDISTS, SPECULATORS, and GENTLEMEN fond of Rural Life, near to the City.

LOT 1.
LANE COVE, near to Eastern-road Railway Station.—Highly-improved ORCHARD and VINEYARD PROPERTY of 40½ ACRES with Cottage Residence of 4 rooms, verandah, outbuildings, &c., situate at the rear of the property of Mr. Hamilton. 13 ACRES are in SUMMER FRUIT, Oranges, Lemons, &c., young and just into fair bearing. 4 ACRES are in VINES. This is a splendid property and beginning to yield a capital income. Mr. John Stein, in charge, will show intending buyers over. The Gordon Railway Station is convenient.
LOT 2.
LANE COVE.—UNIMPROVED BLOCK of 88¼ ACRES, close to Lot 1, with frontage to Lane Cove River and also to road leading to Stoney Creek-road. This block is known as a Grant to A. C. Garrick 58 acres 3 roods.
The above Properties are in a capital position and an improving locality. The Railway from Hornsby Junction to North Shore runs close by, and there is a Station on Stoney Creek-road.
LOT 3.
PENNANT HILLS.—Between Pennant Hills Railway Station and Thornleigh Railway Station, on the Northern Line, at 17 miles from town. A BLOCK of LAND containing an area of 40 acres 24 perches, situate fronting Pennant Hills-road, opposite to the orchard of W. H. Paling, Esq., and intersected by the Railway Line.
LOT 4.
PENNANT HILLS, a little west of Lot 3 on the other side of Pennant Hills-road.—A BLOCK of LAND containing an area of about 7 acres, intersected by the Railway Line.
LOUIS J. DIXON, Esq., Pitt-street, Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28,
The above splendid original blocks at Lane Cove and Pennant Hills, which are admittedly the orange-growing districts of N. S. Wales.
Plans showing the localities can be seen at the Rooms.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

1480 ACRES of RICH LAND NEAR HARTLEY.

IMPORTANT SALE
of the
SPLENDID FREEHOLD PROPERTY
known as
LOWTHER,
situated near Hartley, County of Westmoreland,
comprising an
AREA of about 1480 ACRES,
mostly of rich agricultural land, splendidly and permanently watered in all seasons.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of February, at half-past 2 o'clock,
The above really grand property.
The Auctioneers, in calling the attention of speculators, farmers, and others to this really valuable property, would point out its admirable situation, being close to the Western Railway Line, about 80 miles from Sydney. The land is specially suitable for dairy farming, and being taken up in 1835 is certain to be the pick of the country in the district.
Title can be seen at the office of Messrs. Laurence and M'Lachlan, solicitors, Spring-street, Sydney.
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO.,
Bank-chambers, Jamieson-street, Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19.

IMPORTANT SALE
of
FREEHOLD PROPERTY.
By order of the Trustees of the Estate of the late K. BRODRIBB, Esq.

WALSTAB and SON and HAMMILL and FORRESTER (in conjunction) have received instructions to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, as above,
AT SCOTT'S HOTEL,
Collins-street, Melbourne,
at 3 o'clock.
That very desirable and valuable freehold property,
CAMELY,
WELLINGTON-PARADE,
EAST MELBOURNE,
On one of the finest mansion sites in the colony.

CAMELY
stands upon half-an-acre of land, being Allotments Nos. 7 and 12 of section 16, town of Melbourne East, fronting Wellington-parade on the south, and George-street on the north, having thus TWO VALUABLE FRONTAGES of 66ft. each by the great depth through of 330ft.

CAMELY
is a well-built house, finished throughout in tasteful and substantial style, no expense having been spared in carrying out the instructions of the designer, the ornamentation being of a very high order. It contains on the
GROUND FLOOR
Main hall, 23 x 12.3; two side halls, 28½ x 5 and 28 x 6; drawing-room, 32½ x 16, with bay window and handsome fixed rosewood overmantel; dining-room, 22½ x 16, with oak fixtures of sideboard and overmantel; breakfast-room, 17½ x 14.6; oak-room (library), 20½ x 20, with elaborately panelled ceiling, and fitted with overmantel, sideboard, and escritoire; lavatory, 14 x 6½, with marble basins, hot and cold water connections, polished cupboards, &c.; kitchen, 20½ x 13, with range; servants' dining room, 16 x 13, cellar, scullery, pantry, larder with tiled walls, storeroom, chinaroom, servants' bathroom.
On FIRST FLOOR.
Bedroom and dressing-rooms, 25 x 16½ and 13½ x 11.6; other bedrooms, 23 x 16, 20 x 16, and 16 x 15, two having bay windows; day nursery, 17 x 16½; schoolroom, 21½ x 14; two bathrooms, with marble baths, and hot and cold water connections.
BALLROOM,
50 x 27.
Three servants'-rooms, linen closet, &c.
Fronting George-street are lofty stables, with four stalls, loose-box, coachhouse, man's-room, hay-loft, &c., between which and the house is the tennis-ground.
It is difficult to over-estimate the advantages of the situation of CAMELY. On an eminence, overlooking the Yarra Park, a permanent reserve, it commands a view unparalleled for beauty, variety, and extent. It combines, indeed, the agreeable surroundings of a country, with the conveniences of a city residence, and in those positions once obtained by wealthy people seldom reach the open market, this opportunity should not be overlooked.
Particulars of title can be obtained from the Solicitors, Messrs. WILLAN and COLLES, St. James's-buildings, William-street.
The property can be inspected on obtaining orders to view from the auctioneers, at their rooms.
WALSTAB and SON, 24 and 26 Queen-street,
HAMMILL and FORRESTER, 15 Queen-street.

AUCTION SALE,
ANNIVERSARY DAY,
at 2 o'clock sharp.

WATKIN and WATKIN are instructed by the Directors of the British-Australian Land and Banking Company, Limited, 161 Pitt-street, Sydney,
TO SELL BY AUCTION,
ON THE GROUND,
on
ANNIVERSARY DAY, JANUARY 26, 1891,
at 2 p.m.,
That magnificent estate fronting beach and President-avenue, and right opposite Botany Heads, through which it commands an uninterrupted view of the Pacific Ocean. The lots fronting the bay are separated from Cook Park (which extends along the beach a width of 100ft. from end to end) by a street 66ft. wide, making in all a distance from the frontage to high-water mark of 166ft. A fine plantation of ornamental trees is planted between the beach and the lots. The estate has also nearly half a mile of frontage to President-avenue, which is 100ft. wide, and runs from the Rocky Point-road, near Kogarah railway station, to the beach. The frontage to President-avenue is planted with ornamental trees, and is, in our opinion, superior for residential purposes to the beach. It has the great advantage that the lots farthest from the beach are nearest to the railway station.
There is a lane at the rear of each lot, and the estate is close both to Kogarah railway station and to Bay well's tram.
Gentlemen and speculative builders in search of good residence sites should lose no time in choosing their lots.
The auctioneers beg to point out that this estate has a considerable speculative value, as the Government are now cutting a canal from Cook's River to George's River, which will go through one end of this property, and by which vessels will be able to pass from Liverpool to Eveleigh.
In order to bring this property within the reach of everyone the terms have been made remarkably easy, viz., £5 per lot deposit, and the balance by easy repayments with interest at the rate of 5½ per cent.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

PEARL and ALBERT STREETS, ENMORE.

COMMODIOUS and ELEGANT TWO-STORY RESIDENCE.

TUESDAY, 27th Instant.

WATKIN and WATKIN, instructed by Mr. J. T. Jaques, Solicitor for mortgagee, will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 313 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 27th instant, at 11.30 a.m.,
That commodious and elegant two-story brick dwelling-house, slate roof, containing
On the Ground Floor—Hall, drawing and dining room, kitchen.
On First Floor—Three bedrooms, bathroom, verandah, and balcony
Numerous outoffices, large stable, shed, &c.
Land consists of two allotments—one having a frontage of 48ft. 6in. to Pearl-street, and 114ft. to Albert-street; the other having 36ft. to Albert-street by a depth of 80ft.
The property is open for inspection daily.
The title is under Torrens Act.

ROCKDALE TOWNSHIP.

5 GOOD BUILDING SITES.

WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of Mr. Fieldhouse, offer on TUESDAY, 27th instant,
Lots 30 and 31, sec. 1, each 30ft. to King-street x 100ft. to a lane
Lots 9, 10, 11, sec. 6, each 20ft. to King-street, x 100ft. to a lane.
Torrens Title.

W. A. BRODIE and CO. will sell by public auction, under instructions from Mr. J. Anderson, on the premises, off Pennant Hills-road, Parramatta North, near the well-known mansion of James Burns, Esq., on TUESDAY, January 20, at 11 o'clock,
A nice little poultry farm and orchard, 2 acres, full-bearing, cottage, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, stables, poultry-sheds, coops; the whole of his household furniture, horse, cart buggy, harness, cow, and about 200 head poultry, comprising Brahmas and buff cochins.
A grand opening for an industrious family. The furniture, stock, and property will be sold separately if not disposed of in one line.

INSPECTION INVITED.
VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY for SALE.

By ORDER of the MORTGAGEE.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions from the Mortgagee to offer at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, 21st January, 1891, at 11 o'clock,
All that valuable BLOCK of LAND having 115ft. frontage to the North-east side of Sussex-street, and extending through to Napoleon-street and having 110ft. frontage to that street. On the South the property is bounded by a lane, on which it has 95ft. frontage; and the depth along the Northern boundary is 112ft.
A STONE and BRICK BUILDING, formerly used as Cameron's Tobacco Factory, stands on the above land, the Southern portion of which has recently been formed into a hotel and is leased to Mr. John M'Guinness, and is known as the Hunter River Hotel.
Also, all that valuable BLOCK of LAND at the rear of the above, having a frontage to Napoleon-street of 53ft., and measuring on the South 38ft., on the North-west 34ft., and on the North-east 15ft. 3in., on which a BRICK BUILDING stands.
N.B.—All the above dimensions are approximate only.
Conditions of Sale and further particulars can be ascertained on inquiry of
Messrs. ICETON and FAITHFULL, Bond-street.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1891.

POSITIVE SALE.

By Order of the Executors of Back Droubalgie, near Forbes.

WARDEN HARRY GRAVES, Sydney (in conjunction with W. K. GARNSEY and CO., Forbes) have received positive instructions from the Executors of the late John Dalgleish to sell by auction, at the Exchange Rooms, Sydney, on FRIDAY, January 30, 1891,
BACK DROUBALGIE, situate in the Central Division, about 8 miles from Forbes, area 22,000 acres, of which 162 acres are Freehold, half pastoral lease, and the remainder secured by goldfield and timber reserve.
First-class myall flats, open box forest, and clear ridges, heavy carrying first-class country, well watered by dams and tanks, and of which about 5000 acres are already ringbarked and permission granted to ringbark the remainder.
Fenced and subdivided into numerous sheep paddocks, being about 40 miles 5-wire fence, top rail, nearly new, excellent homestead, woolshed, drafting yards, and everything necessary for the working of the property.
The land is at present very lightly stocked, with about 5500 sheep, 10 cattle, and two horses, and working plant.
The Auctioneers beg to call special attention to this Property, which is for positive and absolute SALE, as the Executors have determined to sell according to the will of the late John Dalgleish.
TERMS—Half cash, balance 1, 2, and 3 years at 7 per cent., or all cash.

MITTAGONG.

IMPORTANT SALE
of
FREEHOLD LAND.
Torrens' Title.

W. WARRENER has received instructions from the owners to sell by public auction at the Mart, next door to the School of Arts, Mittagong, on SATURDAY, January 24, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon,
A splendid corner block of land, containing 3a. 3r. 39p., cleared and securely fenced, with a frontage of 337ft. 6in., and a depth of 530ft., near to the properties and residences of Professor Liversidge, Messrs. J. and F. Beaumont, A. G. Blomfield, C. C. Read, T. S. Bullard, and others. It has a grand elevation, 5 minutes' walk from railway station. Grand building site.
Also,
A grand corner block in the township of Mittagong, with frontages of 42ft. 10½in. by 85ft. 6in., on which is erected a four-roomed cottage residence. Let for 8s per week. Good business site.
Also, a splendid block of land containing 4a. and 19p., suitable for 4 villa residences, garden, and orchard; permanent creek, securely fenced, one acre cleared, 15 minutes from railway station, up to the Green Hills.
The Auctioneer will show the Properties by appointment.
Terms at Sale.

FOR SALE BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

19th FEBRUARY.

MULLAH STATION.

In close proximity to Trangie Railway Station, thereby cheapening carriage of wool and facilitating the despatch of fat stock to market.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the EXCHANGE, Sydney, by order of the Mortgagees, on WEDNESDAY, 18th February, at 12 o'clock,
THE CELEBRATED MULLAH STATION, on the Macquarie River, about [illegible] miles from Dubbo, and about 20 miles from Warren.
Area comprising about—
2680 acres freehold
1582 acres 2 roods c.p. [illegible]
330 acres under annual lease, with approximately a boot [illegible]
40,587 acres pastoral lease, and about
1,700 acres available under occupation license.
Subdivided into 8 sheep paddocks, 1 horse, and in cultivation paddock of 60 acres.
Improvements consist of good residence of 9 rooms, kitchen, and outhouses, men's huts, of 3 rooms with verandah, 4-stall stable, 3 loose boxes, coach-house, saddle and harness rooms, cart shed, hay loft, hay shed 60 x 30, about 80 miles of fencing, wool shed for 28 shearers fitted with screw press, office and wool room to hold 300 bales of wool, shearers' huts and drafting yards.
Watered.—The run is abundantly and permanently watered by a frontage to the Macquarie River, also frontage to the 4-mile waterhole, and with numerous tanks and dams and two wells.
With the station will be sold the following stock:—
16,136 ewes, 2-tooth to full-mouth
2450 wethers
2069 mixed sexes, rising 4-tooth
14,042 mixed weaners
418 rams
42,024 sheep, all more or less
60 head horses, more or less
60 head mixed cattle, more or less.
The Auctioneers have every confidence in inviting the special attention of persons in search of a really sound and profitable investment to this opportunity of obtaining one of the best properties in the far-famed Macquarie district, and being conveniently situated to Trangie Railway Trucking Yards it is admirably adapted as a depot for fat stock awaiting a favourable market in either Sydney or Melbourne.
Persons desirous of inspecting can arrange with the Auctioneers to be met at Trangie Railway Station and be driven over the property.
Definite date of Sale in future issue.
For further particulars apply to
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited,
Macquarie-place,
Sydney.

In the Metropolitan, Suburban, and Hunter District Court, holden at Sydney.
INGLIS and ANOTHER v. CONLON.

ON MONDAY, the 19th of January instant, at 2 o'clock afternoon, pursuant to a Writ of Fieri Facias, issued in this cause, unless the same be previously satisfied, the goods and chattels of the abovenamed defendant, viz., All the right, title, and interest of James Conlon, defendant herein, of, in, and to all the horses, cabs, harness, and effects on the premises occupied by the defendant, at Denison-street, Waverley, and comprised in the bill of sale given by James Conlon to Paisley Brothers, to secure payment to Paisley Brothers for money advanced to James Conlon, will be sold by public auction, at the Court Gates, Macquarie-street. Dated this 15th day of January, 1891.
JAMES MATHEW, Bailiff.

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Funerals

THE FRIENDS of the late ANDREW LAWSON ... [illegible]

THE FUNERAL of the late Mrs. MARY ANN PETERS will take place THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON ... [illegible] WALTER STEWART, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JAMES HARRIS ... [illegible] THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, for Church of England Cemetery.

JORDAN SPARKS, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM HARRIS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER ... [illegible]

JORDAN SPARKS, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. HENRY ... [illegible]

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. ... [illegible]

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOHN, JAMES, PATRICK, EDWARD, and LAWRENCE M'CULLEN ... [illegible]

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. EDWARD M'CULLEN ... [illegible]

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN ENGLISH ... [illegible]

Religious Announcements

[illegible]

Y. M. C. A.—BIBLE CLASS, To-morrow ... [illegible]

Y. M. C. A.—MEN'S MEETING TO-MORROW ... [illegible]

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS ... [illegible]

A GRAND BAZAAR, in aid of ST. CLARE'S CONVENT SCHOOL and GROUNDS, Waterloo, will be OPENED by His EMINENCE CARDINAL MORAN ... SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1891.

GRAND VILLAGE FAIR ... ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL-CHURCH ... [illegible]

Stock and Stations

[illegible]

Tenders

[illegible]

NORTH SHORE STEAM FERRY COMPANY ... [illegible]

TO BUILDERS. ... [illegible]

TO CONTRACTORS. ... [illegible]

WOLLONGONG HARBOUR TRUST ... [illegible]

Professions, Trades, &c.

[illegible]

Situations Wanted

[illegible]

Servants Wanted

[illegible]

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID ... [illegible]

WANTED AT ONCE, SHEEP SHEARERS ... [illegible]

SYDNEY MORNING HERALD. Subscription ... [illegible]

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